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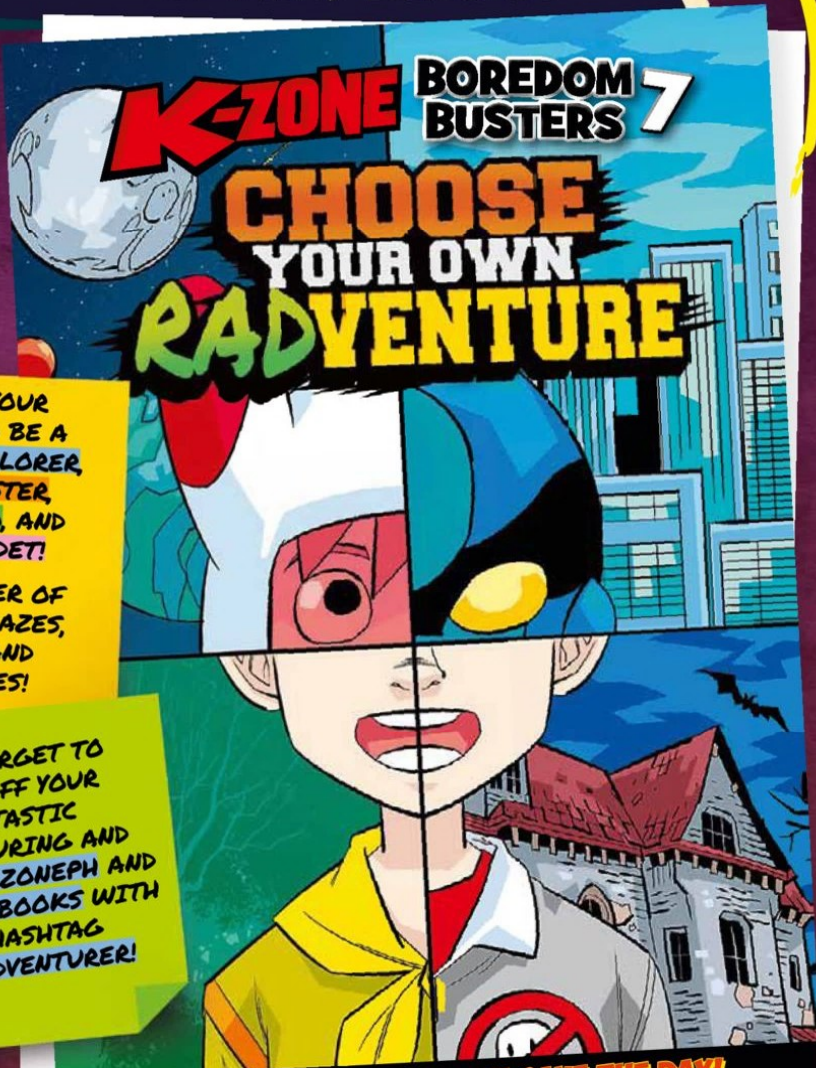
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It's time to bust out your spacesuits, cause we're blasting off into a super awesome intergalactic adventure!!! This month's issue is all about the wondrous mysteries of outer space. We've got meteor showers, alien invasions, and slick space crews that will have you begging your mom and dad to send you to NASA for some legit astronaut lessons. Lolz! What else can you expect in this crazy-packed ish? Well, we've got a scare-rific *Ghostbusters* application form for all the aspiring eco-warriors out there. Fraidy-cats need not worry coz our Life Hacks section will take care of all your RL fright fests. And for all the bros who've got a handful of supah sistas to deal with at home, new T.V. show *The Loud House* will deffo be a cartoon you'll relate to. So ready the rocket fuel, weirdos! KZ is launching in 5, 4, 3, 2, 1..



YOUR CAPTAIN OF CRAY.
ANTON

BEHIND THE SCENES
AT KZ HQ!



ANTON KICKIN' IT WITH HIS PEERS! MEET CUTIES CLARA AND CISCO!



DEE JUST WANTS CAP AND IRON MAN TO MAKE PEACE ALREADY.



KID CREW TRICIA HAD A BRICK-TASTIC TIME DURING THE LEGO NEXO KNIGHTS EVENT!



GRACE, WRENZ, JB, AND U.P. PROFESSOR JIN OUTLIE GET UP CLOSE AND PERSONAL WITH THE 16-INCH REFLECTING TELESCOPE OF THE UP TSNMED OBSERVATORY.



TEAM KZ AND PROF. JIN OUTLIE TAKE A GROUPPIE, BUT WRENZ IS DEFFO CHANNELING HIS INNER CAPTAIN AMERICA WITH HIS "SHIELD."



KAREN TOTES CHILLIN' AT THE DISNEY PH OFFICE.



TEAM KZ HAD A RAWR-SOME TIME WITH THESE MONSTER JAM TOYS.



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Find out how Alice saves the Madhatter when you watch **ALICE: THROUGH THE LOOKING GLASS.**



ICE AGE: COLLISION COURSE crashes into theaters today!

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Who you gonna call? **GHOSTBUSTERS!** Catch the squad in cinemas today!



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Paging all Trekkies! **STAR TREK BEYOND** is now showing.



CELEBRATE

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Prep your cameras and snap some pics. It's **World UFO Day.**



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Sugar rush alert: It's **Chocolate Day!**

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Plan an outing with the cuz 'cause it's **Cousins Day.**

HAPPY B-DAY



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A.K.A.
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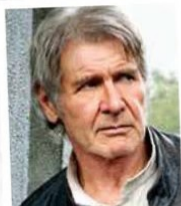
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SUBJECT: GREET ME





YOU-N-VE

WHERE YOU'RE THE STAR!

LETTER
OF THE
MONTH

Dear K-Zone,
When I first came across
your mag, I asked mom if
she could buy an ish in the future.
I'm so happy that she agreed to get me
one. Now, I'm a hardcore KZ collector
and I promise to buy as many issues
as I can.

YOSEF LEVI ROMERO



DRAWING
OF THE
MONTH

JIBRILL SHAUN REBANCOS

Sup, K-Zone?
Reading your mag is always fun!
I hope you never stop making KZ
issues 'coz you rock! Keep up the
good work!

RYAN BUISON

Yaaass!

Hi, KZ!

Your mag inspires me to
read more often and unleash
my creativity. Your mag is
so amazeballs that I'll keep
collecting it even when I'm
old! Thanks, KZ!

LOUIE DEFENSOR

Hi, K-Zone!

I have such a great time
whenever I read your mag.
I think you have the funniest
jokes, pranks, and Fail Whale
stories! Keep up the
good work!

BRENDON AGPASA



CROMWELL DEL MUNDO



Hi, K-Zone!

This is my first time to
send a letter. I have every
single issue of K-Zone
ever—starting from October
2002 until the present. I was
in grade 3 when I asked
my mom to buy me the
November 2002 ish. I loved
it so much that I searched
for the October 2002 issue
and haven't stopped buying
your mag since. Thank
you for all those years of
companionship, and for
making my childhood a
spectacular one!

JEREMY SIM



ASTRID KATLYNN BARBA

RSE



ANDREW GASMEN



IDAN BROTAMONTE

Hey, KZ!
Your mag is way
awesome! My fave
article of all time is the
WrestleMania predictions.
Good job, KZ!
JC MIGUEL

You're welcs!

Hello, KZ!
I started collecting back in
2010. I'm already 16 years
old, but every time I read
K-Zone, I instantly feel like
a kid again! Thanks for
accommodating letters from
readers like me. I wish I
could meet Team KZ IRL!
ZEKE CORONACION

You are
awesome!



BRENT GOBRES



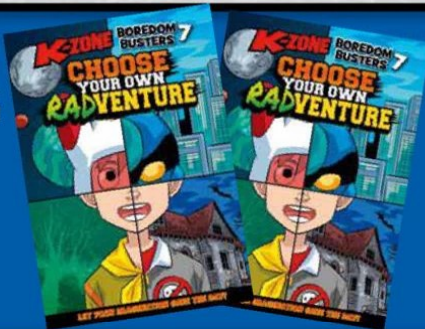
MILDRED BARION

Dear K-Zone,
I love your mag so much! I only started reading last year,
but I'm already hooked. You are awesome for making
a magazine that's tailor-made for kids like me. More power!
ARIANA BEATRICE ABAD

FOR THE WIN!

Hey, Jibrill and Yosef!
You each scored a *K-Zone*
Boredom Busters 7: Choose
Your Own Radventure book!

Don't forget to contact Prize
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YOU-N

WHERE YOU'RE THE STAR!



K-ZONE SELFIES

ATLIER TABUCOL



MAXINE TRINIDAD



SABRINA VILLANUEVA

MY PIECE



What a mech-nificent piece of art!
You've got leet drawing and photography
skills, **HYACINTH MAGLIYAN!**

INSTA-PHOTO



Now that's what we call a KZ collection.
Thanks for the lurve, **NORVIC ANTONIO!**

ERSE

KZ ASKED...

WHO'S YOUR FAVE POP CULTURE ALIEN?

YOU SAID:

Yoda - 46%

Little Green Men - 30%

E.T. - 3%

Kraang - 1%



ARE YOU A VULCAN OR A KLINGON?

YOU SAID:

Klingon - 66%

Vulcan - 34%



TWEETS

@ThePoisonPen_xx Wow! I love the *We Bare Bears* poster! Thanks a lot, guys!

@LesterTagala I still have a copy of your very first anniversary issue, K-Zone!

SHOUT-OUTS

Shout-out to my classmates and teachers at Lorenzo Ruiz de Manila School!
DERRIK NGAYAN

Shout-out to my kick-butt teammates Fernando, Mike, Henry, Labrador, and Patrick!
MOISES BIRONDO

Shout-out to Team KZ and my fam bam!
ANGELO RAMIREZ

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COOL POOL



JUMP IN. TAKE A
DIP. COOL OFF.



1 INDEPENDENCE DAY: RESURGENCE

If you were too young to watch the original *Independence Day* movie, ask the 'rents about this sick alien invasion flick. And after you've seen the first film, pester mom and dad into bringing you to see the sequel. It's going to be one heckuva sci-fi adventure fo sho!

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ICE AGE: COLLISION COURSE



What? This is the fifth *Ice Age* movie? Yaaasss! In *Ice Age: Collision Course*, Scrut and the rest of the squad are back for more comedy that's as cool as ice!

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BOREDOM BUSTERS 7

The latest *Boredom Busters* book is out, bros! And this time around, you get to CHOOSE YOUR OWN RADVENTURE!!! You can be a kick-butt space cadet, rad jungle explorer, brave monster hunter, or a slick superhero. All you need is your imagination (and this schweet book, of course!).



3

POKÉMON SPECIAL

Our YGG section celebrates the 20th anniversary of *Pokémon*. Can you guys believe it's already been that long since Pikachu first made us want to be Pokémon trainers?

5



GHOSTBUSTERS

The ecto-scum slayers get a total makeover in this reboot of the '80s classic (your dad was a fan, trust). In this new and improved versh, a team of gal pals takes the spotlight when it comes to busting spooky specters! GIRL POWAH!

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SPACE CALENDAR

If you like staring at the stars, we've got a feature that will shine a light on all the cosmic events that will occur for the rest of the year. Make sure to bust out your telescope if you have one, astro-bro!



7

VANS X NINTENDO

There's nothing geekier than wearing your fandom! The Vans Nintendo collection takes your button-mashing obsession to the street with designs that compliment your outrageous vgame habit. Fun and quirky, the designs are deffo a 1-up from the usual sneaker.



8

A TIMELINE OF FRIENDLY ALIENS...

In film, that is! Because you were too young to remember *E.T.* (you gotta see it, yo), our movie alien retrospective will help ya blast off into space.



9



STAR TREK BEYOND

Much of the production and plot of *Star Trek Beyond* has been shrouded in mystery. That's cool beans, as long as the movie is still awesomesauce!!! We're just totes excited to see Captain Kirk and Spock crush it once again.

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THIS ISSUE IS OUTTA-THIS-WORLD!

This month, we're dealing with a lot of aliens—dangerous, friendly, or otherwise. We also set our sights on outer space because of its many puzzling mysteries. So we've decided to unofficially name this ish KZ'S OUTTA-THIS-WORLD OUTER SPACE SPECIAL! Don't forget to wear your astronaut helmets before you fly out, fam!



POP-SIC

SCHWEET TOPICS THAT ARE ON FLEEK-LISTED

MEME OF THE MONTH: AWKWARD HALF-CAT



What's funnier than derpy cats? This picture of a cat about to go downstairs, giving an optical illusion of only half of its body being visible! Netizens are having the time of their lives photoshopping this floating furball into various a-meow-sing scenarios. #Creativity

Where do you wanna photoshop
Awkward Half-cat in?

SPACE

THESE SONGS WILL MAKE YOU FLY
UNIVERSE OF FEELS WITH THEIR
VOLUME UP TO

A SONG ABOUT SPACE

Reese Lansangan

Need a song to sing along to while getting sucked into a blackhole of your weird thoughts? Quit worrying about the imminent doom of the human race, son, because, really, no one's got time fo' dat when you're listening to a song as space jammin' as this one!



MARILAG (BEAUTIFUL)

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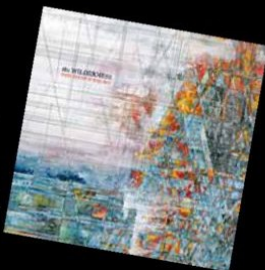
The best way to start the day is by waking with a sunny side up smile on your face! Get up early, watch the sunrise, and play this song to get the best morning feels ever.



INFINITE ORBIT

Explosions in the Sky

Ready to rock out to some beats that are as awesome as our galaxy? Then listen to this cosmic instrumental by a band aptly named Explosions in the Sky, and rock on till the stars come up. See ya, space cowboy!



LE

AND SORTED!

JAMS

ACROSS THE SKY AND TRAVEL THE BIG, BANGING BEATS. CRANK THAT INFINITY AND BEYOND!



BULAN (MOON)

Shirebound and Busking

This is a chilly C-A-M-P-F-I-R-E S-O-N-G song for when you just wanna relax with your squad after a long day of adventuring in the great outdoors. Warning: May cause "eye sweating" if heartbroken.

EVERGLOW

Coldplay

Being #Friendzoned is what this song knows all too well. Maybe next time you think that someone is made out of stardust and sunbeams, tell 'em, bro! Don't be a lonely planet 'cause the whole universe has got your back.



FREEFALL

Armin Van Buuren

After sending you up, up, and away, we figured that your parents might not find it funny if we left you up there to forever wander through space. Here's a song that'll bring you back down with its catchy, down-to-earth beats.



ON THE TUBE



Gravity Falls: Weirddmageddon!

Disney Channel
Saturdays at 11:30 A.M.

Mabel, Dipper, and Grunkle Stan return—and you're in for an epic comeback. Catch three brand new eps, which are special character shorts, on Mondays to Thursdays at 6:00 P.M., and do a whole-day marathon on July 30 before the final *GFalls* episode rolls out on July 31 at 11:00 A.M. *Heavy breathing*



Slime Cup

Nickelodeon
July 18 to 21 at 5:30 P.M.

Watch Nickelodeon live-action stars duke it out to win the Slime Cup! They'll be slipping, sliding, and sliming as they compete in various sports challenges. Bonus: SpongeBob and Patrick will be there, too!



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HOW TO SURVIVE AN AI

THEY'RE HERE, THEY'RE ANGRY, AND YOUR PLANET—HERE'S WHAT IT RESUR

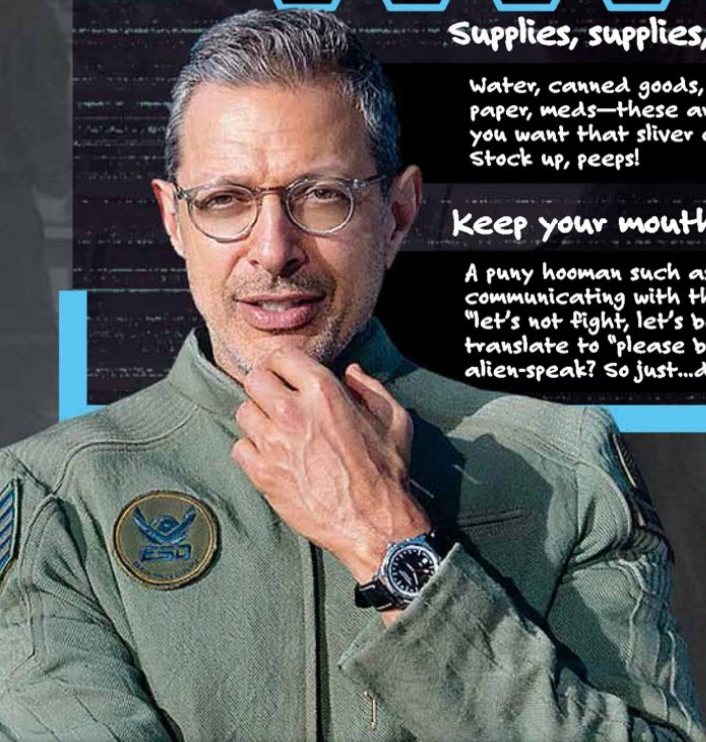


Supplies, supplies, supplies!

Water, canned goods, flashlight, batteries, toilet paper, meds—these are the basic essentials if you want that sliver of a chance at survival. Stock up, peeps!

Keep your mouth shut.

A puny hooman such as yourself shouldn't even try communicating with the invaders. Who's to say that "let's not fight, let's be friends" doesn't actually translate to "please blow us all to smithereens" in alien-speak? So just....don't. #LostInTranslation





AND THEY'RE READY TO TAKE OVER TAKES TO MAKE IT AFTER THE GENE.

Team up with peeps who can help you.

Seek out people with legit skills who'll help increase your chances of survival. Athletes, gadget nuts, science geeks, sci-fi movie addicts, and even a nerdy boy scout could prolly end up saving your life.

Learn to live without technology.

Here's where that nerdy boy scout comes in handy. Worst case scenario, the hostile invaders could cut off the entire planet's electric supply, turning the whole human race into sitting ducks. Make sure to master some basic camping survival tactics. If you can start a fire using two twigs, you should be good to go.

Find a good underground hideout.

Don't build a hideout near any famous or important landmarks. They'll most prolly be the first ones destroyed when the aliens start being trigger-happy. You remember what happened to the White House or the Empire State Building, right? If you fancy staying in one piece, go underground.



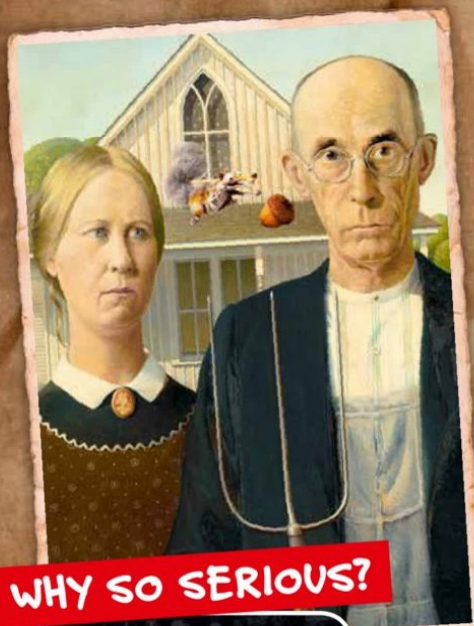
DON'Ts

- Don't engage in hand-to-hand combat. Ever. Are you a trained fighter like Jin Kazama? Are you Captain America? Nope, didn't think so. Leave the brawling to the pros.
- Don't even think about filming the invasion using your GoPro. Six seconds of shaky footage is soooooo not worth your life.
- Don't be too quick to trust anyone. Remember: aliens come in all shapes and sizes. Better safe than sorry, bro.



SCRAT

NOW THAT WE KNOW THAT SCRAT CAUSED THE BIG
BEEN PART OF? KZ LISTS



WHY SO SERIOUS?

The couple in artist Grant Wood's *American Gothic* painting must've been chilling in front of the painter when Scrat suddenly came outta nowhere, made so much noise, and annoyed them.



NUTTING TO SEE HERE

Scrat kicked the acorn toward the Tower of Pisa, accidentally causing it to lean. Epic fail!

SQUIRRELING AROUND

Scrat was on the beach during General Douglas MacArthur's return to the Philippines. He was trying to keep the acorn dry, natch.



THEORIES

BANG, WHAT OTHER HISTORICAL EVENTS COULD HE HAVE DOWN IMAGINED SCENARIOS.



PI-NUT-UBO ASHES

Scrat lost his acorn when he got startled by Mt. Pinatubo's eruption. The ashes from the volcano buried the acorn and Scrat had to dig for 10 days just to be reunited with his precious nut.



NON-TASTIC DISCOVERY

Scrat's acorn landed on top of an apple tree, so he shook the tree branches to make the acorn fall. However, it wasn't an acorn that fell down, but an apple. And that's how Isaac Newton discovered gravity. (You're welcs!)





LIVE LONG AND PUZZLE

Are you ready for *Star Trek Beyond*? We put your nerd IQ to the test. Luckily, this ain't the Kobayashi Maru! Earn your Vulcan ears by acing this super cool crossword puzzle!

ACROSS

- 1 – The first name of the snarky engineer sporting the red sweater, whose actor helped write *Star Trek Beyond*.
- 5 – *Star Trek Into Darkness* introduced us to this genetically engineered superhuman, whose blood saved Captain Kirk from permanent death.
- 6 – Attacked our favorite ship and crew in the beginning of *Star Trek Beyond*, causing our heroes to be marooned in a new and unknown world.
- 8 – The color of the sweaters worn by Spock and Leonard McCoy.
- 9 – Represent! This Lieutenant was named after an island territory in the Philippines.
- 10 – The number of years needed to complete the Starship Enterprise's mission according to Spock.

DOWN

- 2 – The crew of this starship aims "to boldly go where no man has gone before."
- 3 – The nickname that Captain Kirk gave his medical officer, Leonard McCoy.
- 4 – A brainy lieutenant and communications officer who proved that girls rule and that knowing multiple languages is an advantage even in space.
- 5 – Thor's Idris Elba is unrecognizable as he portrays the role of this alien in *Star Trek Beyond*. He also thinks the Federation stinks.



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RIDDLE M

DOES YOUR NOGGIN' HOLD ENOUGH

WONDER TO

The Mad Hatter is acting madder than usual (read: alarmingly, catastrophically mad), and Alice has to make a deal with a suspicious character named Time so she can return to the past and save her friend from losing his marbles completely. To do this, she needs to get hold of the Chronosphere, a time travel device that Time is willing to lend her if she can answer all his riddles correctly. Now, put those thinking caps on and help a sister out!

1 Immaculate pale blonde locks and royal robes the color of snow
She'll point a black-tipped finger and tell you where to go
Though her voice is gentle, laced with milk and honey
Her smile holds dark secrets only the wise can see.

THE _____

2 Come face to face with an ally, a friend who understands
—or maybe your worst enemy, out to ruin your every plan
Look into a familiar set of eyes, a familiar mouth and nose
But where you'll end up when you stare too long, no one really knows!

THE _____

3 His body is the color of the ocean, or the sky on a clear day
Clouds of smoke announce his presence, always swirling your way
He's sprouted a pair of wings now, majestic ones to help him fly
He's bound to be back soon enough; it's never quite goodbye.



ME THIS!

RESTORE SOME ORDER TO WONDERLAND?

- 4** A scarlet nest sits pretty on top of her
supersized head
All the better to contain that temper, quick and
blood red
Be careful not to anger her, unless you want to
be walking around
With your own head severed from your body,
nowhere to be found!

THE

5

He's got crazy eyes and even crazier hair—
quite a strange sight
And at first his peculiar appearance might
give you a bit of a fright
But look beyond the eccentric clothes, the
empty grin that stretches wide
And you'll find a friend with a kind ol' heart
who will never leave your side.

THE

- 6** My hands don't quite
look like yours, no fingers
or palms or nails
But unlike yours they don't stop
moving, day and night, no fail
I wonder why I often spark fear
when the long-eared creature
sees my face
Prompting him to jump up in a
panic and fervently quicken
his pace.

THE

'S

Answers: 1. White Queen, 2. The Looking Glass, 3. Absalom, 4. The Red Queen, 5. The Mad Hatter, 6. The White Rabbit's Watch



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WHO YOU GONNA CALL???

GHOSTBUSTERS!!! HERE'S YOUR CHANCE TO RID THE WORLD OF EVIL ECTOPLASM! FILL OUT THE APPLICATION FORM BELOW AND BE PART OF THE SLICKEST SQUAD OF SPOOK SLAYERS.



JUNIOR GHOSTBUSTERS APPLICATION FORM

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Your
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BASIC INFORMATION

Name: _____
 Nickname: _____
 Age: _____
 Contact Number: _____
 Email: _____
 Fave Nom: _____
 Fave Horror Flick: _____
 Fave School Subject: _____
 Scariest Place Visited: _____
 Hardcore Hobbies: _____

COMPLETE THESE SENTENCES, FUTURE SPECTER-SLAYER!

- My biggest fear is _____ the bed is _____
- The best way to deal with a monster under the bed is _____ to _____
- In my opinion, ghosts are _____
- I believe that the boogeyman is _____
- I want to be part of the Ghostbusters because _____

I, _____ (your name) on _____ (date today), hereby pledge to protect my fellow hoomans from ghostly ghosts, dastardly ghouls, freaky monsters, and evil spirits...even if there's pizza and bacon on the dinner table. I will uphold my duties as a Ghostbuster and always use science and paranormal physics to guide my principles. I will be fearless when facing these supernatural forces, so ecto-baddies everywhere, beware!

 Your Sweetest Signature

ANSWER THESE QUICK Q'S BY TICKING THE BOXES BELOW.

1. What do you say to your mom if she tells ya that there's a spirit haunting the attic?
☐ "I ain't afraid of no ghosts!"
☐ "Wahhh! Run for your lives!!!"
☐ "Call the Ghostbusters, stat!"
2. How would you best describe a ghost that can possess human beings?
☐ Slimmer's best bro
☐ Ecto-scum
☐ Pretty paranormal
3. If there's something strange in your neighborhood, what equipment would you prepare?
☐ A water gun, swimming trunks, and goggles
☐ Proton packs, ghost traps, and P.K.E. meters
☐ A bouquet of flowers and a box of chocolates
4. What's the best way to approach a haunted mansion?
☐ With caution, natch! You never know what dangers could be lurking inside!
☐ Don't even dare to enter. That's crazy!
☐ Skipping and humming along to your favorite tune.

Fill out this pledge to complete your application.
 Post it online with the hashtag #KZghostbusters.



Superman
Superman series, Man of Steel, and
Batman v Superman: Dawn of Justice
(1978- present)

Using his super-cool powers, Superman has been saving mankind for years. He's sure to be there when someone is in danger. You'd deffo want the Man of Steel to be fighting for your side.



Chewbacca
Star Wars series (1977-present)

Chewie is the everloyal Wookiee buddy of the late-shiff-Han Solo. Warrior of the Rebel Alliance and standing at seven feet tall, this towering fluffy creature does everything that he can to save the galaxy from the Empire or the First Order.



FRIEND

Aliens are often viewed as weird creatures out for world domination. But some of 'em come in peace and just wanna hang out, give us the royal treatment, or protect us from the evil overlords.

Oh
Home (2015)

Oh is the best buddy for tickling your funny bone. This purple Boov can be a handful, but he'll surely perk you up when you're feeling down.





Spock
Star Trek series
(1979 - present)

Spock and his crew have successfully thwarted alien baddies more times than you've defeated the final boss in that videogame you've been playing. This half-Vulcan is one of the most respected allies of planet Earth.



E.T.
E.T. the Extra-Terrestrial (1982)

E.T. is the poster creature for friendly aliens. This harmless being just wants to go back home to his planet. He may not be as cool as the others, but E.T. is a friend for keeps.

NOT FOE



Groot
Guardians of the Galaxy (2014)

This giant tree monster may look menacing, but he's really a big softie inside. You can count on Groot to be your personal bodyguard. Together with his pint-sized BFF Rocket Raccoon, they defend the galaxy from intergalactic baddies (read: Thanos).

Stitch
Lilo and Stitch (2002)

If you want a very crazy friend who will love you like ohana (that means family), then Stitch is your new bud. Mean and cranky at first, this koala-like experiment eventually became a worthy companion to little Lilo.





SISTER ACT

HAVING 10 SISTERS MAY SEEM LIKE A CROWD, BUT IN NICKELODEON'S THE LOUD HOUSE, ONLY-BOY-SIB LINCOLN SHOWS HOW THEY GIVE HIM 10 REASONS TO BE SUPER PROUD!

1 BIG SIS PROTECTION SERVICE

Eldest Loud sister Lori may be a bit tough on her younger sibs, but she always looks out and cares for the fam when the 'rents aren't around.



3 THEY'RE ALWAYS THERE TO ROCK YOUR WORLD

Guitar-playing Luna provides rockin' background music 24/7. She knows the top tunes and takes Lincoln to the coolest concerts. #Rockstar



2 INSTANT MAKEOVER: JUST ADD SISTER

Lincoln's second eldest sis, Leni, lives and breathes fashion. Whenever he needs to amp up his steez for a special occasion or get his duds repaired, Leni's there to save the day!



4 LOL-WORTHY MOMENTS

Budding stand-up comedian Luan never fails to make Lincoln ROFL with her epic pranks and constant clowning around.



5 FREE SPORTS TRAINING FTW!

With sporty sis like Lynn as his teammate, Lincoln can expect to always nab the gold trophy.



6 UNLEASH YOUR ARTSY SIDE!

Lucy's got mad poetry skills (and possibly even witchy powers). Her bro could learn how to woo his crush with a brooding love note.



7 SOCIAL MEDIA STARDOM

Lola is a true pageant queen in the making and can teach her bro a thing or two about taking the perfect selfie and being social media-savvy.



8 AWESOME ADVENTURES AHEAD!

As the rowdiest of the bunch, Lana is Lincoln's default buddy when it comes to all things slimy, stinky, and super mega awesome fun!



9 HOMEWORK HELPER

At the age of four, genius sis Lisa already graduated from college with a PhD. Best believe she can crack a tough math equation in a jiff.



10 RESPONSIBILITY UNLOCKED

By taking care of 15-month-old baby Lily, Lincoln learns how to become a responsible older bro who can take on the epic tasks of changing poopy diapers and keeping her safe from harm.



GALACT

WE'VE ASSEMBLED THE BRAVEST ANIME SPACE HEROES



**MARIKA
KATO**
MOURETSU
PIRATES

High school girls don't usually become pirate captains, but that hasn't stopped Marika from manning the ship. Marika is highly intelligent and has legit leadership skills—totally captain material!

Dream Team Role:

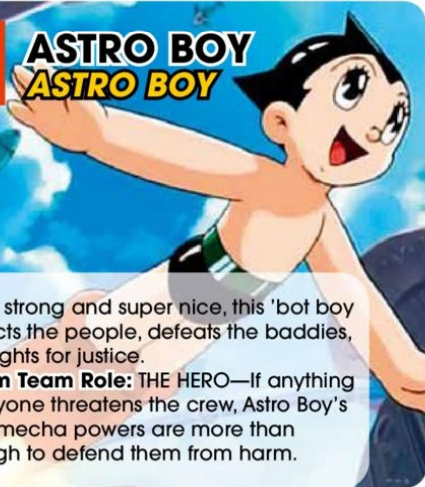
THE CAPTAIN—Marika will have her hands full getting the motley crew to work together as a team. Good thing she can use her *kawaii* personality to inspire the peeps on board. Whatever the Captain says, you can bet the crew will be motivated to follow. #TeamCap

KAMINA GURREN LAGANN

The tough and manly founder of Team Gurren, Kamina rocks the red sunglasses and is the poster boy of self-confidence. If he puts his mind to it, there's nothing he can't do!

Dream Team Role: **THE CHEERLEADER**—Just when you think the crew is down and done for, Kamina's intense positivity will want you to "believe in him who believes in you!"

ASTRO BOY ASTRO BOY



Super strong and super nice, this 'bot boy protects the people, defeats the baddies, and fights for justice.

Dream Team Role: **THE HERO**—If anything or anyone threatens the crew, Astro Boy's mad mecha powers are more than enough to defend them from harm.



RIC GANG

TO SEE IF THEY CAN WORK TOGETHER AS ONE CREW!



CAPTAIN HARLOCK SPACE PIRATE CAPTAIN HARLOCK

This dude's the captain of the Arcadia—the most powerful battleship in space. He may look cranky but he's all about being the good guy.

Dream Team Role: THE SECOND-IN-COMMAND/THE MENTOR—Having been through enough adventures to last him a lifetime a la Han Solo, Harlock is content with being Captain Marika's right-hand man. He's the one she can turn to for some wise, old-school advice.



ALTO SAOTOME MACROSS FRONTIER

High school student Alto is an ace pilot for the Strategic Military Services who also wields the awesome might of the VF-25 Messiah!

Dream Team Role: THE HOTSHOT PILOT—Because you can't go anywhere without a pilot, yo! He'll navigate meteor showers and comet storms with ease.



KIRA YAMATO GUNDAM SEED

Kira is a Coordinator, a genetically-enhanced human that's considered as the next step in human evolution. With his speed and stamina, he'll beat foes and fight for freedom using his mobile suit Strike Gundam!

Dream Team Role: THE MECHA MUSCLE—Kira owns one of the coolest and strongest mecha around: the Strike Gundam. 'Nuff said.

PARFET BALBLAIR VANDREAD

Parfet is the geeky engineer of the ship Paeksys, and she's in charge of making sure everything's in ship-shape.

Dream Team Role: THE MECHANIC—Parfet will see to it that the ship runs smoothly.



ROUGH

Pull off slick donuts and crazeballs corkscrews with these monsterrific Hot Wheels Monster Jam toys!

CAROLINA CRUSHER

CC's body paint may look simple, but it can nail tricks that are way complicated. With its custom-built Knight Stalker nitrogen shocks, performing cray stunts for this truck ain't a prob.



DRAGON

What better way to relive seeing the RL truck's performance at the Monster Jam event than by playing with its toy verzh?



SMALL BUT TERRIBLE

ZOMBIE HUNTER



The Zombie Monster Truck's kryptonite has arrived, and he's here to slay!

HIGHER EDUCATION



Higher Ed is deffo cooler than your average school bus.

SONUVA DIGGER



This member of the Digger fam lives up to the incredible body paint legacy.

RIDES

GRAVE DIGGER

This four-time Monster Jam champ is a fan-fave due to its freakishly awesome paint job. The toy is just as ghoulish, er, cool as the real thing, fam!

JURASSIC ATTACK

Nope, that's not a triceratops. Meet the Jurassic Attack! Better not mess with this rad ride 'coz those horns mean business, bruh.

Take a break from the mech mammoths and adore these smaller, cuter versions!

AVENGER



Trust, the white Avenger is the slickest truck of 'em all!

SOLDIER FORTUNE



SF is a tribute to members of the U.S. Military. Salute. #Respect

PROWLER



This rawsome road warrior is ready to pounce its way to the top!



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Heroic Werk

BEING A SUPERHERO IS AWESOME. SAVING THE WORLD FROM BADDIES, HAVING SUPERPOWERS, WEARING COOL COSTUMES...IT'S A SWEET GIG. BUT ALL DEM HEROICS AIN'T GONNA PAY THE BILLS. HERE ARE SOME HEROES' DAY JOBS WHEN THEY'RE NOT BUSY BUSTING VILLAIN BUTT.

Peter Parker A.K.A. Spider-Man



Normcore Job: Photojournalist

What does Peter do for a living? Take selfies, of course! The Daily Bugle rewards cash to peeps who can steal snapshots of Spidey. The witty web-slinger then took some photos of himself to earn some dough. Smart!



Clark Kent A.K.A. Superman



Normcore Job: Reporter

Superman is the strongest hero in the DC 'verse. So why does he need a 9 to 5? Well, being a journalist allows Clark Kent to feel like a normal human, as well as stay on top of current news. Bonus: Quality time with fellow reporter/gf Lois Lane.



Barry Allen A.K.A. The Flash

Normcore Job:



Forensic Scientist

Barry was just a regular dude until he got struck by a lightning bolt that transformed him into "The Fastest Man Alive." Being a scientist at the Central City Police Department gives him access to vital info that helps him keep tabs on his enemies.



Matt Murdock A.K.A. Daredevil



Normcore Job: Attorney

Losing his sight at a young age didn't stop Matt from earning his law degree. He opened the Nelson and Murdock law firm with his best bud, Foggy Nelson, where they help the oppressed achieve justice. (Yep, he's a superhero in and out of the suit!)



Hal Jordan A.K.A. Green Lantern



Normcore Job: Air Force Pilot

The desire to fly and soar through the skies has always been in Hal's blood. The ace pilot followed in his father's footsteps and joined the U.S. Air Force. He later worked at Ferris Aircraft while living the double life as a member of the Green Lantern Corps.





COSMIC EXPLOSION

Arm yourself with intergalactic goodies that are made for the stellar KZ kid.



1 and 2 STAR WARRIOR Now's your chance to be a Jedi/Sith Lord. Saber Forge Jedi Lightsaber P8,000, SaberForge.com, Hasbro Darth Vader Lightsaber, P3,500, Toy Kingdom
3 TUSK, TUSK, TUSK Wearing this shirt guarantees that you'll have a whale of a time. Threadless "Nar Wars" Shirt, P600, Filbar's **4 and 5 TREK STAR** Every Pinoy Trekkie needs these in order to prosper. "Live Long and Mabuhay" Shirt, P299, Filbar's, Trekkies Spock Q-Pop Dry-erase Figure, P738, Filbar's **6 SKYWALKER** These kicks will give you mad style props. Star Wars Skechers Stormtrooper, P2,695 **7 MAN OF STEEL** Display your fave reads in the geekiest way. Metal Superman Book End, P880, Quirks **8 REACH FOR THE STARS** Bring the galaxy into your room with this nifty nightlight. Moon & Star Projector, P795, Quirks **9 AUTOBOTS, LIGHTS OUT!** Turn the nightlight on to summon Optimus Prime. Transformers 3D Deco Light, P1,899, Filbar's

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REACH FOR

TEAM KZ SNAGGED AN ASTRONOMICAL
THE FIRST PINOY ASTRONAUT CHOSEN

Team KZ: How did you train for your epic task of becoming an astronaut?

Chino: I do different sports every week. One exercise that got me fit enough to perform all types of physical activity was CrossFit. It's an intense exercise that requires a variety of functional movements.

KZ: Was it always your dream to become an astronaut?

Chino: Being an astronaut wasn't exactly the only job on my mind, but I am an adventure seeker, so I definitely wanted to explore outer space.

KZ: If given a chance, which planet would you visit?

Chino: I'd go to the farthest and smallest planet, Pluto. Though I am intrigued and curious about the exoplanet Kepler-452B being potentially habitable.



KZ: What's your fave space food?

Chino: Freeze-dried ice cream. You can buy some at the NASA gift shop and it's totes delish!



THE STARS

INTERVIEW WITH DANIEL ANGELO "CHINO" ROGUE,
TO FLY INTO OUTER SPACE IN THE NEAR FUTURE!

KZ: When are you blasting off into space exactly?

Chino: It's still uncertain, but we were told that our spaceship is already 80% finished. Once it's done, then we'll go on our intergalactic trip.

KZ: *Star Wars* or *Star Trek*?

Chino: I think *Star Wars* is more awesome. The story is way more interesting and the space ships are supah cool!



KZ: Who's your fave character from *Star Wars* and why?

Chino: R2-D2 because he is a pivotal character in the saga.



KZ: What are you guys gonna do in space during the trip?

Chino: We will be going on a sub-orbital spaceflight. It is a type of flight where our spacecraft will go outside the Earth's atmosphere while maintaining speed below the orbital velocity.

KZ: Any advice for budding astronauts out there?

Chino: Respect your parents, study hard, and give 100% in everything you do. Pray to God and listen to your teachers/coaches and make sure you always find the time to have some fun. Being happy is the key to reaching your dreams.



HIPSTER ALERT! MEET THESE OBSCURE BUT STELLAR ASTRONAUTS WHO ACHIEVED SEVERAL MILESTONES IN OUTER SPACE!



NASA astronaut **Scott Kelly** just got back to Earth in March this year after spending 340 days in space. It is the fourth longest human space flight in history—the first being Valeri Polyakov with 437 days.



John Watts Young is the only cosmonaut who was able to pilot four different kinds of spacecraft—Gemini, the Apollo Command/Service Module, Apollo Lunar Module, and the Space Shuttle. He is also the ninth person to walk on the moon.



FRIGHT FEST

THE HUMAN EXPERIMENT

Creepy fact: not all alien invasions start with UFOs, laser guns, and explosions.



Where the heck am I? Marty thought to himself as he slowly opened his eyes, the haziness of his vision not helping the situation. It was cold and dark and only a creepy blue light illuminated the cave-like room he found himself in. He tried to move, but his arms and legs were bound to a steel

surface that looked like the operating tables he used to see at the hospital where his mom worked as a nurse. Only, this wasn't a hospital, and the place reeked of a nasty chemical smell.

The last thing Marty could remember was walking through the neighborhood skate park. He had just had an argument with his mom about

his slipping grades in science class and decided to take his skateboard out for a spin to cool off his head. After a few rides, the sky suddenly parted and a green beam of light struck down from the heavens. Before he could even scream, Marty was knocked out cold and was levitating toward the odd spacecraft—the source of the weird green light.

And now he's trapped.

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shadows emerged three towering figures, lanky and with huge, bulging heads that looked too heavy for their frail bodies. They were gray-skinned, slimy, and reptilian. In their eyes, Marty saw only blackness, deep and disturbing and enormous in their curiosity. Marty realized that these beings were emitting the sounds, communicating to one another in an—Eep!—alien language.

Marty started to freak out, shaking his body in an effort to escape. For some reason, he knew these things had evil intentions. Ironically, the whole situation reminded him of his recent biology lesson, where he and his classmates were tasked to dissect a living frog. Only now, he was the helpless amphibian and these extraterrestrials were the careless students. He just knew that he did not want to be on the receiving end of any sharp tools.

From out of nowhere, one of the aliens brought out a tiny, shiny object that resembled a handgun. Its long, creepy fingers cradled the trigger as it pointed the barrel end at Marty's forehead.

This is it, he thought, surrendering to the idea of a quick demise at the hands of these strange monsters. No time to say goodbye or sorry to mom. No way to redeem my stinky grades in science class. No mustering the courage to finally talk to Lisa, my crush who always wears her hair in a high ponytail. No opportunity for one last ride on my sweet, sweet skateboard, doing flips and tricks and getting up when I fall down. No more Marty.

And as the red laser beam shot straight into his forehead, a tingling sensation came over him. It hurt, but not in the way that a punch or a kick or scrape to the knee did, but electric like a brain freeze from a super-duper cold smoothie. It felt like a worm was boring its way through his skull, digging deeper. And deeper. And deeper still.

He let out one final, primal scream of terror. A shout so loud that it could've shook the entire universe, made the planets crumble, and sent meteors crashing down to Earth. Before his eyes caved from the pain, he could see the harbingers of his torment looking down on him as if all this was normal, their buggy eyes bulging with intensity.

And then there was darkness, so still and deafening that Marty found it somewhat comforting.

The voice that finally roused him from slumber was warm and familiar. It was a soothing sound, unlike that of those annoying crickets or scary operating tools, that were for some reason, lingering between his ears.

"Marty," she said. "Finally, you're awake!"

It was his mother, looking worried and frantic in her nursing scrubs. *Like she always does*, he thought.

"Are you okay?" she asked, her eyebrows meeting in the middle of her brow as if they were going in for a kiss. "What happened to me?" Marty asked, holding the back of his head, a pulsating pain making its presence known. "Our neighbors found you in the skate park, unconscious and laying on the cement," she replied. "They brought you home. I was so worried."

Marty looked to the floor of his bedroom. There, he saw his skateboard, broken in half, a tragic mess that could've been the source of his throbbing noggin. His body hurt as well, his limbs weak and bruised as if they'd been pinned down for a really, really long time.

"I think I fell while I was trying to do an ollie, Ma..." he said to comfort her. But just like his mom, he was unsure of this explanation. Giving her one just felt like the important thing to do.

"I'm sorry about being hard on you because of your grades," she told him, her voice cracking as she tried to get the words out. "I don't mean to be a nag, son. I just want what's best for you. But thank heavens, I'm just so happy to know that you're okay." With that, tears were now streaming down her plump cheeks. She gave him a hug, one so tight and hard and kind of claustrophobic that Marty couldn't move.

"I know, me too," he told her, as his eyes turned into an otherworldly shade of blackness, deep and disturbing and enormous in their curiosity.

You see, Marty liked to move, and being on his board made him feel like he was cutting through the wind, free both of worry and the trappings of brain-draining academics. His current predicament—his worst nightmare come to life.

"Krougzzz-krougzzz-krougzzzz," the sound went, making Marty flinch as soon as he heard it. The noise reminded him of the crickets in their backyard. From the



SKY HIGH

The University of the Philippines National Institute for Science and Mathematics Education Development (NISMED) observatory proves that you don't need CG effects to experience an epic space show.

Astrophysicists and students of the university use these two giant telescopes to observe the activities of heavenly bodies.

DYK? These telescopes were donated to our country by Japan in 1990.



The two telescopes are:

The Refracting Telescope is the smaller one that has lenses on both ends. It is often used for stargazing, as it gives a wider image view compared to the "zoom lens" of the reflecting telescope.

The Reflecting Telescope is the big telescope that has a mirror at one end. This is often used for watching events that need to be viewed up close like planetary alignments.

This huge dome protects the telescope from harsh weather conditions. It can also rotate 360 degrees so the user can view whichever part of the sky he or she likes.



Students visit the observatory to learn and observe outer space phenomena.

Types of viewing sessions provided in the NISMED observatory:

- Watching meteor showers
- Star gazing
- Witnessing planetary alignments
- Observing eclipses

Note: The Observatory holds viewing sessions from January to March of every year. Groups must contact the building's admin in order to schedule a viewing sessh. Entrance costs P75 per head, and each session must have a minimum of 50 visitors. So you better bring the whole class, bro!

Things to bring for a viewing sessh:

- ☐ Tent
- ☐ Food
- ☐ Sleeping bag
- ☐ Other essentials (extra clothes, etc)

Note: You don't need to bring your own stargazing stuff. The Observatory lends its equipment for such activities.



NISMED Observatory

is located inside the University of the Philippines Diliman Campus, Quezon City.



STEER

TWO MONSTER JAM TRUCK
OUR SPEEDY QUESTION

TEAM KZ: How long have you been driving a Monster Jam truck?

BRIANNA MAHON
(Scooby-Doo's driver): This is my second year driving an MJ truck.

ADAM ANDERSON
(Grave Digger's driver): I first drove a Monster Jam truck back in 2005.



ADAM
ANDERSON

KZ: What was the name of your very first Monster Jam truck?

BM: Scooby-Doo

AA: Vette King



KZ: Would you be cool with other drivers handling your truck?

BM: Sure, I don't mind. I've driven several different trucks over the past two years as well—including the yellow El Toro Loco and the Red, White, and Blue Madusa truck.

AA: I think it would be really cool as long as I could drive theirs, too!



BRIANNA MAHON

R CLEAR

DRIVERS CRUSH
AND ANSWER PORTION.



KZ: What's the craziest trick you've ever pulled off?

BM: A back flip! I did it this year at the Monster Jam World Finals using the Madusa truck. I competed against 32 of the best drivers in the business, and performing a back flip was my main goal and I crushed it.

AA: Back flip has to be the craziest trick. I will never forget the first time I nailed it.

KZ: What are your other hobbies aside from driving monster trucks?

BM: During my off days, I do sprint car racing and compete all around Illinois. I also manage my own hair salon and train kids who wanna hone their skills in riding a dirt bike.

AA: I really love racing through the mud, especially when I'm driving Mega Mud trucks.

KZ: Any advice for young drivers who want to be a Monster Jam truck driver in the future?

BM: Follow your dreams! If you put in the hard work, determination, and full effort, you can accomplish anything in life—even being a monster truck driver!

AA: Being involved in any form of racing is a great start and practice for becoming a Monster Jam driver. But still, you need to be really careful in order to avoid accidents when racing.

MAJOR

Our fave toon bros get the and are reverse engineered



TEENAGE MUTANT NINJA TURTLES

Skater girl Michaela likes designing decks so she can roll out in style. Older sis Lea is the leader of the group and can be kinda bossy. Donatella tinkers with inventions and vlogs about them online. And Raphaela? She's still pretty much kick-butt. Together, these green gals save the world from mutated meanies.

PENGUINS OF MADAGASCAR



Unlike their bumbling male counterparts, this supah spy squad is a lot more efficient in accomplishing their mission objective—and they're stylishly color-coordinated to boot!

Makeover

gender bender treatment into gal pals. #GirlPower



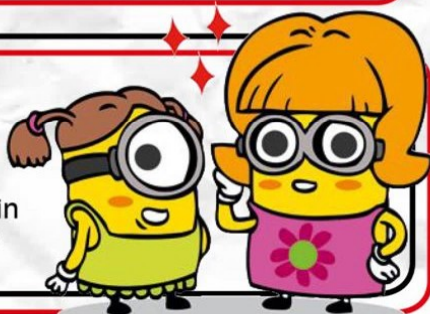
HAIKYŪ!!

These sporty gals are popular in the league for crushing it on the hardcourt and looking *kawaii* while doing so. Newbie Hinata-chan's leet skills have even garnered her a huge following and a fanclub.

MINIONS

Or should we say "Minionettes?"

The pint-sized girl gang is up to all sorts of shenanigans such as rocking dubsplash vids in costume and trolling Gru by putting makeup on him while he's asleep.



WE BARE BEARS

The girl verish of the bear bros still retain their personality. Pan-pan is an IG kween, Ice loves baking, and the ever-adventurous Grizzelda rocks a snazzy jean jacket. Go, Bear sistas!





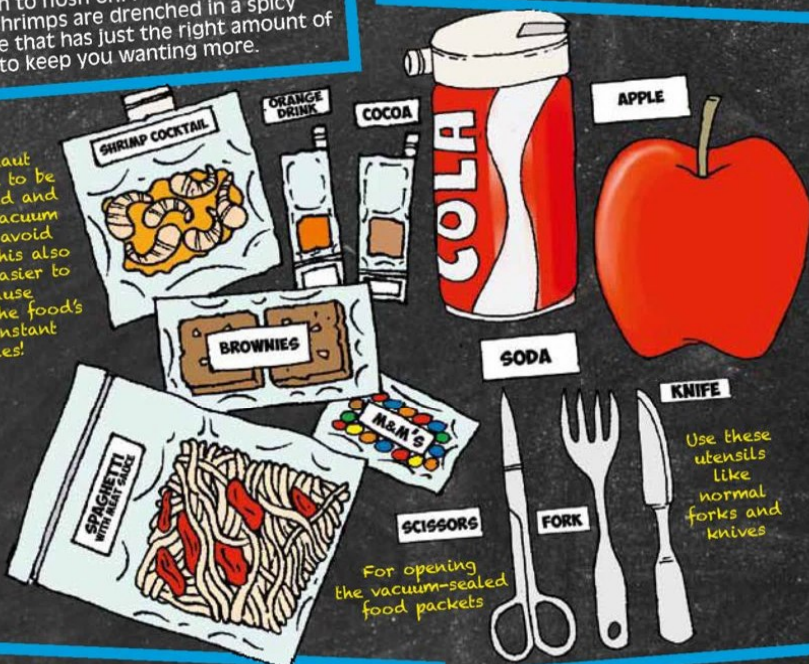
INTERPLANETARY SPACE (DEGU)STATION

WELCOME TO THIS ASTRO DINING EXPERIENCE. PLEASE BRACE YOURSELVES BECAUSE WE'RE BLASTING FOOD YOUR WAY IN 3, 2, 1—MUNCH OFF!

APPETIZER

For our first course, we have an astronaut fave—freeze-dried shrimp cocktail. Please rehydrate these crustaceans 'cause otherwise, they'll be tough to nosh on. For a boost of flavor, the shrimps are drenched in a spicy sauce that has just the right amount of kick to keep you wanting more.

Most astronaut meals need to be freeze-dried and sealed in vacuum packets to avoid spoilage. This also makes it easier to prepare 'cause basically the food's just like instant cup noodles!



For opening the vacuum-sealed food packets

Use these utensils like normal forks and knives

MAIN COURSE

Here's the star of this space show: spaghetti with meat sauce! Like everything we've served to you so far, you must add water to the meal. Our sauce contains a mixture of secret spices that elevate the yum factor of this pasta bowl.

DESSERT

And for our grand finale, enjoy these brownies, apples, and good ol' M&M's. They can all be eaten in their natural state, so no need for water. Hope you had a good meal!

GUIDE SCRAT
THROUGH THE
RIGHT PATH IN
THE GREAT

ACORN HUNT!



AWW, YISS!
ACORN
ACQUIRED!!!

YOU'RE GOING
THE WRONG
WAY!



OH NO, BRO.
THEY'RE ALMONDS.

OOPE!
WRONG
PATH!



LOL NOPE!
IT'S CORN!



JOHNNY

ANNE

MIA

HELENA

SACHA

DEPP HATHAWAY WASKOWSKA with BONHAM CARTER and BARON COHEN

Disney
Alice
THROUGH THE
LOOKING
GLASS





SPACE OUT!

MARK YOUR
CALENDARS,
KIDS! DRAG
THE FAM TO
WITNESS
THESE FREE
SPECTACULAR
SPACE SHOWS.

**AUGUST
12
AND 13**

PERSEIDS METEOR SHOWER

When you witness this event, expect almost 60 meteors per hour to come raining down from the skies. It's one of the best meteor showers to look forward to!

**AUGUST
18**

FULL MOON

Awooooo! Werewolves, it's time to partaaaay!



SEPTEMBER 3

NEPTUNE AT OPPOSITION

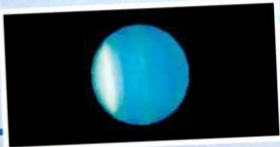
Here's your chance to see the giant blue planet! It's floating so far away from Earth, that you'll only see a tiny blue dot through a medium-sized telescope.

SEPTEMBER 22

SEPTEMBER EQUINOX

Today, the sun will shine directly on the equator—day and night will have the same number of hours. Whoa!

OCTOBER 15



URANUS AT OPPOSITION

Spot the blue-green dot in the sky!

**OCTOBER 21
AND 22**

ORIONIDS METEOR SHOWER

Ask the 'rents if you can stay up past midnight to watch this meteor shower, which produces up to 20 meteors per hour at its peak.

**NOVEMBER 17
AND 18**

LEONIDS METEOR SHOWER

Fifteen meteors per hour at its peak ain't so bad, right? This meteor shower is best viewed after midnight in a dark location.

DECEMBER 21

DECEMBER SOLSTICE

This event marks the shortest day and the longest night of the year. It occurs in June in countries located in the Southern Hemisphere. DYK? December Solstice is called winter solstice in countries that are part of the Northern Hemisphere.

**DECEMBER 21
AND 22**

URSIDS METEOR SHOWER

It's the last meteor shower of the year, folks! Don't miss it.

ALIEN PROBING

ARE YOU AN ALIEN? TAKE OUR WAAAY ACCURATE QUIZ TO FIND OUT!

1 HOW MANY HANDS DO YOU HAVE, BRO?

- A. Hands? I think you mean tentacles and I've got six of 'em.
- B. I have two hands: the left and the right.

3 HOW ARE YA GONNA MAKE YOUR SUMMER VACAY SUPER MEMORABLE?

- A. By successfully invading this primitive planet, er, I mean by playing video games?
- B. By going stargazing with my fam so I can finally catch a cool meteor shower.

5 WHEN I GROW UP, I WANT TO BECOME AN...

- A. Intergalactic emperor, natch.
- B. Astronaut and go to the moon.

2 YOU WERE LATE FOR A MEETUP WITH THE SQUAD. WHAT'S YOUR EXCUSE?

- A. "Dude, the gravity here is 10 times stronger than on my planet."
- B. "Oops, I woke up late! Stayed up all night marathoning the *Star Trek* movies."

4 DO YOU LIKE SCI-FI FLICKS?

- A. Nah, these movies are not accurate to RL space life.
- B. Yep, I've got lots of merch and vgames. Now, excuse me while I watch *Star Wars* for the nth time.

6 YOU SEE YOUR CRUSH APPROACHING. QUICK. WHAT DO YOU SAY?

- A. "Take me to your leader."
- B. "Hey, what's up? Wanna play laser tag?"

RESULTS

IF YOU ANSWERED MOSTLY AS, YOU ARE AN AMAZEBALLS ALIEN:

This deflo ain't your home planet, bro. But don't worry, your secret is safe with us... as long you come in peace.

IF YOU ANSWERED MOSTLY BS, YOU ARE:

A BASIC HOOMAN: Wassup, fellow Earthling! You're an ordinary, run-of-the-mill human being. You're not an alien but you're definitely a hardcore sci-fi geek. Live long and prosper!

SCARE

HEY, BRO! IF YOU'RE AIMIN' TO MAKE A FRIGHT, THEN
BY FOLLOWING KZ'S NIFTY GHOST'S

MAKE SOME NOISE!

Begin with a bang or start with a screech. Nothing brings out goosebumps more than hearing eerie noises. Choose your spooky beat: crazy creaks, terrible taps, hideous howls, or spine-tingling screams. If you're a techie, you may wanna try messing with the T.V., phones, or even the PC. This strange static will deffo make your victims insta-panic!

YOU GOTTA MOVE IT, MOVE IT

Hide keys, flip books open, chuck balls, open cupboards, break glass, rearrange furniture to your liking, or levitate objects in mid-air for a while. Wanna make things more interesting? Slam doors and windows shut, or swing them wide open. You can also spin lamps and chandeliers around then send them crashing down. Make toys move! Send clothes flying! Do it one-by-one or if you have that epic ghostly energy—all at once!

THROW SOME SHADE

Cast a creepy shadow, hang from a ceiling, glow in the dark, fly past in a blur, or wave and stare through a mirror. Not photogenic? Even better! Look your very worst, move closer, and reach out to your unsuspecting victim. Trust, it'll freak them out! This terribad tactic is best done against huge walls, across long corridors, and inside very dark rooms with low, flickering lights (Try playing with switches to make flickering light effects).

TACTICS

**YOU BETTER DO IT RIGHT! PREVENT APPARITION ANXIETY
GUIDE TO SCARING HUMANS.**



BLAST 'EM WITH 'PLASM!

They heard you, they've seen you, now let them feel AND smell you. Bust out that green, gooey ectoplasm (read: a sticky substance that is said to come out from ghosts) and spew it generously—gunk up their toys and gadgets, stick it on their clothes, or sling it on their food. Pro-tip: For mad scares, try possessing their toys by making them look alive, then make the ghostly goo ooze out from their playthings' mouths! ICK!

CREEPY COMBO FINISH!

You're doing great, you wraith! Now, it's time to deliver your freaky finisher. Get up close to their face (cue: piano scare chords for effect) and turn them into believers (cue: louder piano)! Show up in your full gory glory (opacity adjusted to maximum). Chase them into a corner or wherever they think they're hiding safely (really, those in closets and under their beds are just asking for it), hold them, and say you'll never let go. MWAAAAHAHAHA!



BONUS: THRILLER NIGHT (FOR ADVANCE LEVEL APPARITIONS)

Tired of haunting a household? Unleash undead fury and raise an army of ghouls and zombies for world domination! But first, you gotta earn some serious creep-tastic cred with other ghosts before they rally behind you as their head haunter. Until then, guard and hide your bones, beware of holy grounds, exorcists, ghostbusters, and witches. Keep feeding on the fears of your victims, and one day you'll have a spooky squad ready to do your terrifying bidding. #Revenant&Proud



LIFE



FEAR FACTOR

FACE YOUR FEARS

Identify what turns you into a scaredy-cat and find a solution.



- **LIGHTS ON.** Are you afraid of the dark and ghosts? Ask the 'rents to install a nightlight so you can sleep soundly during bedtime.



- **GAME ON.** Not looking forward to your first ever flight? Distract yourself by playing some leet handheld games and you'll forget you're in a plane in no time.



- **GO ON.** Terrified about going up on stage and performing? Practice in front of your friends and family first so you can get a feel for it and tweak the probs before the actual thing.

KEEP CALM AND CARRY ON

The idea is to be positive by channeling your energy to achieve the goal. #YouGotThis



- **DON'T FREAK.** If you're lost in an unfamiliar place or you can't find the parentals, don't panic. Concentrate on retracing your steps instead. Or better yet, call them!



- **HAVE AN EXIT STRATEGY.** If there's a flying cockroach in your room, calmly get outta there then cry for help!



- **KEEP MOVING FORWARD.** Are you climbing a high flight of stairs or hiking up a steep trail? Just keep going and don't look back, son!

ANTI-FEAR EXERCISE

Here are some tips for calming those nerves. Woozaah!

- **RELAAAX.** Learn to calm yourself. Relax both your mind and body in order to melt away that uncomfortable feeling and heart-racing grip of dread.



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EDITION

QUIT BITING
YOUR NAILS. FAMILIAR!
CHECK OUT THESE
TIPS ON HOW TO
BECOME A BRAVE
WARRIOR.

SEEK THE STRANGE

Do you fear the unknown? Well, knowledge is power!



• **ADVENTURE TIME!**
Go out and explore 'coz the wild outdoors await you. Ask your mom and dad to accompany you on an adventure to strange, unusual places so you can experience something new. The more familiar you are with the peculiar (like creepy crawlies), the less freaked out you are gonna feel.



• **GATHER INTEL.**
Afraid of snakes? Maybe you'll be less scared of them if you research more about these rad reptilians and learn all about your slithery source of fright.

• **HUM A TUNE.**
Gently hum your fave song then relax your arms, legs, back, and shoulders.



• **MEDITATE.**
Take slow, deep breaths. Mind over matter, my friend. Mind over matter... ohmmm-ohmmm...



DAREDEVIL HITS

Conquer that fear and live on the wild side.



• **BE IN BRAVE COMPANY.** Some people love extreme sports or get excited when they're watching horror movies. Try hanging out with these daring peeps. Their bravery might eventually rub off on you.

• **INTO THE BLUE.** Scared of swimming? Do it one step at a time. Just chill by the shallow water first then once you're more comfy, you can finally take swimming lessons. Getting a funny floater will ease your mind (we're thinking pizza-shaped LOL) about being in the water too.



GO TO YOUR HAPPY PLACE

When fear strikes, just remember your favorite things.

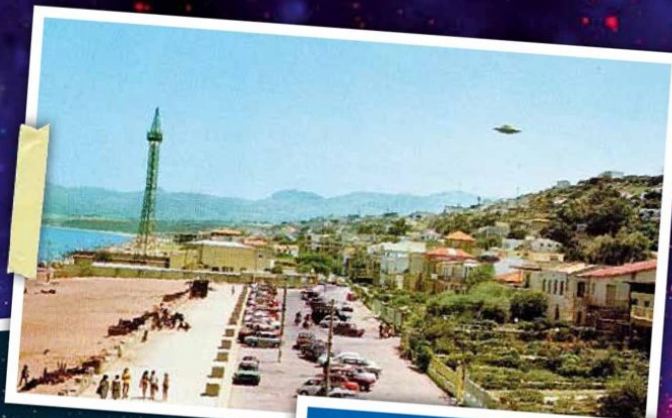


• **PICTURE PERFECT.**
If you're scared of sleeping alone in your room, arrange photos of your friends and family (that includes your pet), near your bed to keep you company.

• **SUMMON A SIDEKICK.**
Are ya dreading a dentist appointment? Why not ask your best bud to come along and provide moral support?

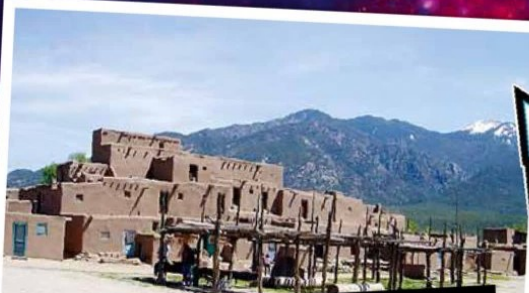


• **THINK HAPPY THOUGHTS.** Don't let the jitters take over. Think of your fave toys or nosh. Woot!



THE COMET BOOK

DYK? The term 'U.F.O.' is considered outdated. U.S. politician Hillary Clinton shared in a recent interview that the new term for U.F.O. is now "unexplained aerial phenomenon" or "U.A.P." She wants to openly talk about the search for other life forms with the public and will even let everyone know what really goes down in Area 51. Alien-loving folks now call her the "E.T. Candidate" because of her insatiable curiosity for otherworldly beings.



WE HUM IN PEACE

Since the early '90s, several citizens of Taos, New Mexico reported a weird humming or buzzing sound coming from out of nowhere. While some think that it might be insects, large machines, or auditory hallucinations (Yep, that's a thing!), some have pointed out that it might be alien-related! Researchers that visited the site last year found no evidence leading to the persistent hum's origin. It might be an underground base for alien spaceships, or it might be a hoax, but for now, we think it's just cray.

NEWS BY THE NUMBERS



30

YEARS. THE AGE OF SCOOTER, THE OLDEST LIVING CAT IN THE WORLD AS OF MAY 2016.



268

PEOPLE. THE NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS THAT KUNIKO TERAMURA FROM JAPAN GROUPED TOGETHER IN ORDER TO NAB THE GUINNESS WORLD RECORD TITLE FOR THE "LARGEST GATHERING OF PEOPLE DRESSED AS NINJAS."

7000

TIGERS. THE NUMBER OF TIGERS BORN THANKS TO THE EFFORTS OF THE TIGER CONSERVATION MOVEMENT.



TICKET TO THE OTHER WORLD

Remember MH370, The missing Malaysia Airlines plane? One of the theories on why the plane hasn't been found yet claims that aliens might have abducted it. Months after the incident, aircraft debris were found scattered in the Indian Ocean and are believed to be remnants from the Malaysian aircraft. The alien abduction theory still seems possible as parts of the plane are still missing. Yikes!



ONE COOL C

WARNING: THIS ICE-COLD INFOGRAPHIC

An **ICE AGE** is an extended period when the Earth's temperature is reduced, resulting in the expansion of ice sheets and glaciers.

There have been at least
5 MAJOR ICE AGES.

SOME CREATURES THAT LIVED DURING THE ICE AGE:



SABER-TOOTHED CAT

Average height: 3.3 feet
Average weight: 220 kg

DIRE WOLF

Average height: 2.6 feet
Average weight: 68 kg

WOOLLY MAMMOTH

Average height: 10 feet
Average weight: 6 tons

At the peak of the last Ice Age around **18,000** years ago, the average global temperature was **5°C** lower.

DYK? In 2012, an 11-year-old boy named Yevgeny Salinder discovered a 30,000-year-old woolly mammoth carcass while walking his dogs in Russia. The well-preserved mammoth—called “Zhenya,” after Salinder’s nickname—helped scientists determine that the lumps on a mammoth’s back were used as large fat deposits for surviving brutal winters.

An **ICE SHEET** is a thick mass of glacial ice spanning at least **50,000 SQUARE KILOMETERS**. These ice sheets can cover plains, valleys, and even entire mountains.

CRASH COURSE

MIGHT JUST GIVE YOU A BRAIN FREEZE!

HOW ICE AGE HOOMANS MADE USE OF HUNTED ANIMALS:

1. **Hide:** Clothing, shoes, blankets, and shelter (such as tents)
2. **Meat:** Food
3. **Stomach:** Containers for water and other liquids
4. **Tendons:** Cords
5. **Bones:** Weapons, tools, and tent poles
6. **Hair (from the tail):** Thread



GIANT GROUND SLOTH

Average height: 10 feet (on its two hind legs) Average weight: 1 ton

WOOLLY RHINOCEROS

Average height: 6 feet
Average weight: 2.5 tons

The percentage of the Earth that's covered in ice during the Ice Age:

1/3

Present day:

1/10



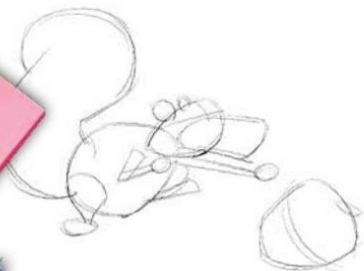
SPOT THE DIFF:

Mammoths have higher shoulders and more curved tusks compared to mastodons. Between the two, mammoths are more closely related to present-day elephants.





**QUICK
DRAW**



STEP 1: NUTTING'S GONNA STOP US NOW

Use a pencil to lightly sketch Scrat's form. Draw circles for his ears, body, claws, and feet, and cylinders for his arms, legs, tail, and snout. Now, make a circle with two parallel lines in the middle to create the acorn. Add a horizontal line on Scrat's head to mark the eyeline.

STEP 2: THE NUTCRACKER

Draw his lemon-shaped eyes along the eyeline. Then, sketch his snout with an oval and his nose using an inverted "U." For his mouth, draw a long wavy line under the snout with small rhombuses for his teeth and two long fangs at the end. Add details to his ears and furry cheek.

HOW TO DRAW SCRAT AND HIS ACORN



STEP 3: CLAWIN' YOUR WAY TO THE TOP

Add details to Scrat's bent right arm and outstretched left arm by drawing lines. Then, sketch his pointy claws afterward.

STEP 4: FUR REALSIES

Draw the outline of his body and then add short lines for his fur. Next, sketch his feet and claws. Take note that his left leg is bent and positioned just below his left arm.



STEP 5: ARE YOU NUTS?

For Scrat's bushy tail, draw its outline and add short spikes to put more detail to it. For the acorn, sketch the pointy bottom half then draw an oval on top for the other half of the nut. Lastly, add small ovals on the top to give it some texture.

STEP 6: CONFIDENT RODENT

Trace over all your pencil marks using a pen. Once the ink has dried completely, erase all your pencil marks and add color. Scrat's tail is gray, while his body is beige and orange. His nose is brown. The acorn's top half is dark brown, while the lower half is golden brown. Use different shades to add depth to your art. Time to go acorn hunting, Scrat!



WHO
SHOULD WE
DRAW NEXT?

SUBJECT:
**QUICK
DRAW**



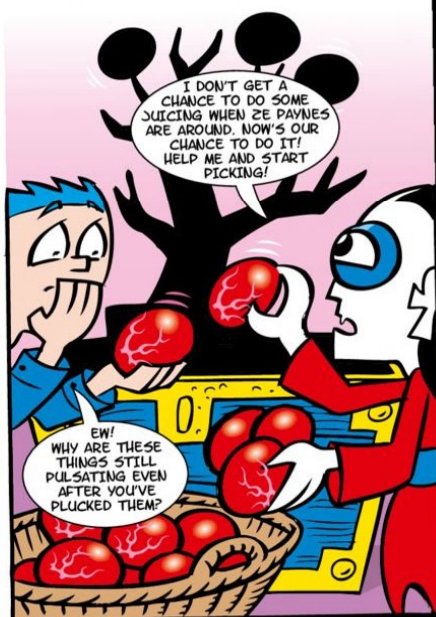
GHOST BUSTED: THE TALE OF THE STINKY SPECTER

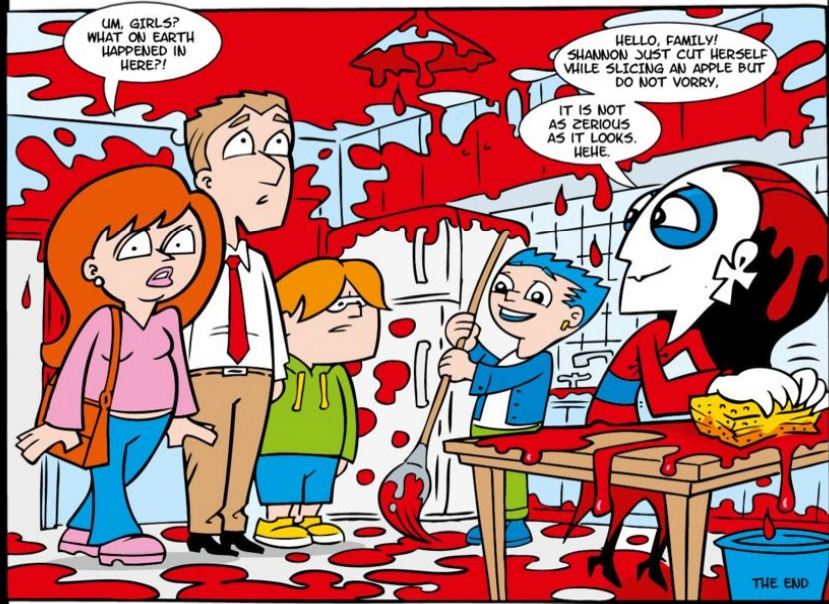


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FOLDABOTS COMICS ISSUE 97: TOXICOMBAT



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WILL THE TOXICONS REALLY BE RETREATING? OR DO THEY HAVE SOMETHING ELSE UP THEIR METAL SLEEVES THAT CAN TURN THE TIDE OF THE BATTLE? FIND OUT NEXT MONTH IN FOLDBOTS!

FOLDABOTS

SIGG-NAL



SIGG-NAL is the mighty leader of the KURYENTEBOTS. His body is made of tough photovoltaic armor that's powered by light energy. His generators channel this energy to his arm blaster to release powerful blasts. He combines with the other KURYENTEBOTS to form ELECTRICUS' MAIN BODY.

ROBOT MODE

- A life-giving *agimat* is located on SIGG-NAL's chest plate.
- His satellite dish also doubles as a photon blaster when mounted on his arm.
- His cranial storage pod can detect baddies from great distances.

CREATE YOUR OWN 2-IN-1 TOY!

FOLDABOTS

FIG. A



FIG. B



FIG. C



FIG. D



FIG. E



FIG. F



FIG. G



FIG. H



FIG. I



- 1 Cut out all patterns on the TOY CARD
- 2 Make a mountain fold along all the broken lines. Then make a valley fold along all the dotted lines.
- 3 Glue MAIN BODY to itself. (Fig. A).
- 4 Glue the CRAWLERS to the MAIN BODY. (Fig. B).
- 5 Glue the ARMS to the MAIN BODY. (Fig. C)
- 6 Glue the BACK to the MAIN BODY. (Fig. D)
- 7 Glue the TOP to the MAIN BODY. (Fig. D)
- 8 Glue the SATELLITE DISH to itself in order to form a wide cone. (Fig. F)
- 9 Glue the NEEDLE SIDE A to NEEDLE SIDE B back to back. (Fig. F)
- 10 Glue the NEEDLE to the center of the SATELLITE DISH. (Fig. G)
- 11 Glue the SLEEVE to the center of the underside of the SATELLITE DISH. (Fig. H)
- 12 Attach the SATELLITE DISH to ARM I (in FOLDABOT MODE) or BACK FLAP (in SATELLITE TRUCK MODE). DO NOT GLUE THIS.

ALTERNATE MODE: SATELLITE TRUCK

- His vehicle plates are made of solar cells that can absorb light energy.
- He can generate his own electricity.
- His enhanced crawlers provide maximum traction and can travel through rough terrains without a hitch.

INTELLIGENCE
ENDURANCE
STRENGTH
SPEED
SPECIAL SKILL



FOLDABOT MODE

SATELLITE TRUCK MODE





KIRBY: PLANET ROBOBOT

Hey now, don't look so glum, chum. We know school's fast approaching—or maybe it's started already for some of you gamers—and you're clinging on to your last days of freedom. So why not go on a space adventure this vacay? And you can do it all in the comfort of your gaming chair. First up, we give you an outta-this-world list of space-themed games you can check out with the fam or the squad. Next, hop inside a big, hulking mech and fly up, up, and away in *Kirby: Planet Robobot*. Once you're tired of exploring the galaxy, you can return to Earth and reminisce with your older sib when you read our tribute to *Pokémon*'s 20 years in the vgame 'verse. What are ya still standing there for? Now off you go, bro, to infinity and beyond!



NOW LOADING...



SPACE GAMES

DIGLETT

HP: 111

CHARMANDER

HP: 113

20 YEARS OF POKÉMON



MIRROR'S EDGE: CATALYST

QUICK BYTES SINK YOUR TEETH INTO THESE VGAME NEWS BITS!

I AIN'T AFRAID OF NO GHOST!



Ghostbusters is a multiplayer co-op game that takes place after the events of the latest movie. You'll be playing as one of the rookie recruits assigned to fight off the city's spooky specters while the Ghostbusters gals are away on a high-profile mish. So go strap on your proton pack, call the squad, and start bustin' ghosts, bro!

WATER WARS



Water flight!!!! *Battle Splash* is a water gun FPS that's blown up to epic proportions. Instead of the tiny, neon-colored squirt pistols you tote around IRL, your anime-style character will be lugging around some heavy-duty artillery that's around the size of a rocket launcher. One thing's for sure: you'll all be soaking wet by the end of the battle.



APP-RECIATE!

GEEK OUT OVER THE HOTTEST GAMING APPS THAT'LL KEEP YA GLUED TO YOUR SEAT.

DESTINY OF THRONES

PLAY IT ON:

GENRE **MOBA** RATING **G** PRICE **FREE**

THE SCORE: 7/10 FREEDOM FIGHTERS

With this game's 3-vs-3 and 5-vs-5 Battle Mode, you'll become a leet strategist-slash-warrior in no time. As the hero, you'll need to destroy enemy forces and claim their thrones. We're calling it: *Destiny of Thrones* is gonna be your new app fix.

PIXEL GUARDIANS

PLAY IT ON:

GENRE **RPG** RATING **G** PRICE **FREE**

THE SCORE: 9/10 PIXEL PUNCHES

Uh-oh! The monsters are here and you must defeat them at once! While you're busy defending your pixel-perfect world, you can collect heroes and hey, they look mighty familiar. Pixel Naruto brawling with a giant pixel Joker? Yes, please!

PULL MY TONGUE

PLAY IT ON:

GENRE **PUZZLE** RATING **G** PRICE **FREE**

THE SCORE: 8/10 POPCORN BAGS

Greg the chameleon is starving! Feed him some popcorn by pulling on his tongue. In this eww-some game, you'll be using slobbery "tongue physics" in order to grab the noms while avoiding zappers and spikes that mess with your progress. Nosh your way to victory, son!

HUNGRY SHARK WORLD

PLAY IT ON:

GENRE **ACTION** RATING **PG** PRICE **FREE**

THE SCORE: 10/10 SHARK ATTACKS

Hungry Shark is back, and it's hungrier than ever. In this sequel, you must swim across the world's biggest oceans as you eat everything in sight (Just stay away from the lethal bombs and jellyfish just like in the last game). Bonus: There are 17 playable shark species to collect! Bye, default Great White!

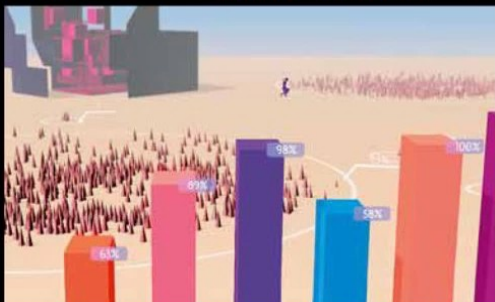
NEW GAME +

ADD THESE TOP TITLES TO YOUR TO-GAME LIST.

METRICO+

PLAY IT ON: **PS4** **PS3** **PC**

GENRE: **PUZZLE PLATFORM** RATING: **G** RELEASE DATE: **TBA**



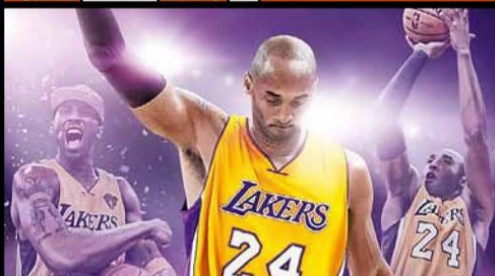
If ya dig our Kidfographic section, then you'll prolly enjoy this puzzle platformer. Watch the game's surroundings come alive with bar graphs and pie charts that react to your character's movements. These graphics will show how many jumps you've performed and your current screen coordinates. Your goal is to make sure you don't fall off the graphs by performing the correct movements. #BrainTrain

NBA 2K17

PLAY IT ON: **PS3** **PS4** **PS Vita** **PC**

RELEASE DATE: **SEPTEMBER 2016**

GENRE: **SPORTS** RATING: **G**



Whenever a new NBA 2K game gets released, expect better gameplay and smarter AI. The hoop-shooting vgame deffo deserves the MVP award for the schweet special edition Kobe game cover. Plus, it comes with bonus KB24 content. We'll surely miss seeing the Black Mamba on the court, tho. *Sniff* #YouDaRealMVP

WOOT LOOT!

WE'D LIKE TO GET OUR BUTTON-MASHING PAWS ON THIS MAD MERCH, STAT.



Vans kicks get the 1-up treatment! In this collab with Nintendo, iconic vgame stars Mario, Princess Peach, and Donkey Kong add some geeky flair to the popular shoe brand. Now here's hoping that those Mario sneaks give us super-high jumping abilities.



Microsoft released a Stark Industries edition Xbox One and IT. IS. AMAZEBALLS. The white console has embossed marks that make it look like an Iron Man suit and it even has an arc reactor replica, too! Sorry Cap, but #TeamIronMan wins this one.



ZERO GRAV

SPACE AIN'T JUST THE FINAL

STAR FOX SERIES

Do some barrel rolls and blast your way through missions as you defend the Lylat system from the evil Andross.

Why it's outta-this-world: It brought thrilling 3D space combat to the Super Nintendo and pushed tech limits back in the day!



ARTEMIS SPACESHIP BRIDGE SIMULATOR

This crazeballs six-player co-op mobile game lets you and your bros work as a bridge crew on the Terran Space Navy starship.

Why it's outta-this-world: This is the closest thing you'll ever get to working at *Star Trek's* Starship Enterprise, trust. And as an added bonus, you'll have tons of chaotic fun with the squad.



METROID SERIES

In this action-adventure game, we follow bounty hunter Samus Aran as she delivers swift intergalactic justice to space pirates and aliens.

Why it's outta-this-world: Samus Aran is no damsel in distress. Decked out in heavy-duty space armor, she's known as one of the first vgame heroines to kick intergalactic baddie butt.



SUPER MARIO GALAXY SERIES

Mario leaves the Mushroom Kingdom and blasts off into space so he can save all the stars in the galaxy and rescue—say it with us—Princess Peach.

Why it's outta-this-world: You can enjoy all the Mario platforming mayhem, but in SPACE!



VITY GAMES

FRONTIER—IT'S WHERE GREAT VGAMES TAKE PLACE!

RATCHET & CLANK SERIES

Hang out with the titular space-faring heroes as they explore colorful alien worlds and blow stuff up using wacky weps.

Why it's outta-this-world: Playing *Ratchet & Clank* feels like watching a hilarz Saturday morning cartoon 'coz of its humor and dialogue. The iconic Sony PlayStation franchise even has its own feature-length film. Now that's legit!



SPACE INVADERS

Your mad mish is to blast through waves upon waves of 8-bit aliens descending from—where else—space!

Why it's outta-this-world: While it prolly looks simple by today's gaming standards, this arcade shooter was pretty modern for its time. *Space Invaders* got old-school gamers hooked and made them drop a lotta coins into the arcade machine. (Ask the 'rents about it!)



LEGO STAR WARS SERIES

Relive the *Star Wars* original and prequel trilogies (heck, even the recent *The Force Awakens* flick) in LEGO style. Enjoy space platforming, puzzle-solving conundrums, high-flying action, and intergalactic fun in brick form.

Why it's outta-this-world: LEGO + *Star Wars*. 'Nuff said.





ICHOO

GENERATION I



► **Poké Platform:** Gameboy Color

► **Total Poké-Count:** 151

► **Far Out Location:** **Kanto**—based on the actual region in Japan.

► **Most Memorable 'Mon:** **Mewtwo**—the most powerful and coolest-looking 'Mon from this gen.



Pokémon Red & Blue (1996)

Starter 'Mons: **Charmander**, **Squirtle**, and **Bulbasaur**

DYK? Ken Sugimori, one of the artists for the vgame franchise, shared that his fave Pokémon is Gengar.

Pokémon Yellow (1996)

Starter 'Mon: **Pikachu**

DYK? Pokémon Yellow is the only core series game where the player can't choose their own starter Pokémon, and which is not a Grass-, Fire-, or Water-type.



GENERATION II

► **Poké Platform:** Gameboy Color

► **Total Poké-Count:** 251

► **Far Out Location:** **Johto**—based on the Kansai region in Japan.

► **Most Memorable 'Mon:** **Lugia**—this trusty Pokémon can learn attacks that take advantage of each legendary Pokémon's weaknesses.



Pokémon Gold & Silver (2000)

Starter 'Mons: **Chikorita**, **Cyndaquil**, and **Totodile**

DYK? Before the game was launched, fans called Maril "Pikablu" due to its similarity to Pikachu.

Pokémon Ruby & Sapphire (2003)

Starter 'Mons: **Treecko**, **Torchic**, and **Mudkip**

DYK? This is the first Pokémon game where you can't change the name of your rival!



► **Far Out Location:** **Hoenn**—based on the RL Japanese island of Kyushu.

► **Most Memorable 'Mon:** **Blaziken**—it's amazeballs how it'll Torchic could evolve into this kick-butt ninja chicken.



► **Poké Platform:** Gameboy Advance

► **Total Poké-Count:** 386



GENERATION III

GENERATION IV

► **Poké Platform:** Nintendo DS

► **Total Poké-Count:** 493

Pokémon Diamond & Pearl (2007)

Starter 'Mons: **Turtwig**, **Chimchar**, and **Piplup**

DYK? The English game verish contained many references to Internet memes and chatspeak.

► **Far Out Location:** **Sinnoh**—based on the Japanese island, Hokkaido.

► **Most Memorable 'Mon:** **Arces**—the Pokémon that shaped the universe using its 1,000 arms! LOLWUT?



SEE YOU!

We celebrate 20 years of throwing Pokéballs, collecting badges, and catching dem Pokémon by revisiting the vgames that had us screaming, "Pika-pika!" (Plus, one game that's coming out later this year!) **#TRAINERGOALS**

GENERATION V



► **Poké Platform:** Nintendo DS

► **Total Poké-Count:** 649

► **Far Out Location:**

Unova—inspired by New York City.

► **Most Memorable 'Mon:** **Zoroark**—a leet

magical 'Mon that rocks a ponytail. So. Freaking. Cool.



Pokémon Black & White (2011)

Starter 'Mons: **Snivy, Tepig, and Oshawott**

DYK? You gotta catch the game's mascot Reshiram/Zekrom or else the story will not progress.

DEM POKÉMON FEELS

That only fellow Pokémon Trainers will know.

Selecting Your Starter Pokémon

This is serious 'biz, peeps!

Random Battles. All The Wild Pokémon Battles.

We just want to cross the grass patch. Come on, we don't want to keep hitting the darn Run button!

Accidentally Releasing Your Best Pokémon

It's all happened to us before, right? One wrong click and you've freed your best pet into the wilderness. The horror!

GENERATION VI

Pokémon X & Y (2013)

Starter 'Mons: **Chespin, Fennekin, and Froakie**

DYK? These were the first games to be released on the same date worldwide.



► **Far Out Location:**

Kalos—patterned after France.

► **Most Memorable 'Mon:** **Honedge**

is a ghost Pokémon that looks like a sword. It doesn't make sense, but it's way cool!

► **Poké Platform:** Nintendo 3DS

► **Total Poké-Count:** 722

► **Poké Platform:** Nintendo 3DS

► **Total Poké-Count:** TBA

► **Far Out Location:** **Alola**—based on Hawaii.

► **Most Memorable 'Mon:** **Rowlet** 'cause the 'Mon looks way cool with its leaf bowtie.

GENERATION VII



Pokémon Sun & Moon (2016)

Starter 'Mons: **Rowlet, Litten, and Popplio**

DYK? These are the first games to be released in Chinese.





KIRBY: PLANET ROBOTOT

PLAY IT ON GENRE **PLATFORMER** RATING **G**

Planet Popstar (A.K.A. Kirby's homeland) is under attack. Robot invaders are mechanizing the entire planet and are bringing chaos to the once peaceful land. It's up to Kirby to vanquish the evil Haltmann Works Company and save the day!



LOONY LOCATIONS



Kirby: Planet Robobot has seven exciting action-packed levels: Patched Plains, Resolution Road, Overload Ocean, Gigabyte Grounds, Rhythm Route, Access Ark, and Mind in the Program. These levels are divided into several stages (except the final level) and are all designed to test your platforming and puzzle-solving abilities. Can your brains and brawns save Planet Popstar?

AMIIBO-OST!

Use your Amiibo toy figs to unlock costumes and abilities.

King Dedede's Amiibo unlocks the Hammer ability that can smash your foes, while Link's Amiibo unlocks the Sword Copy ability that you can use to slice through your enemies. Mario's Amiibo lets Kirby chuck fireballs at his foes. Try different Amiibo figs to see what kinda cool and exciting power-ups and bonuses you can add to your arsenal.



DOMO ARIGATO, MISTER ROBOT-O!

Kirby's Robobot Armor could deffo rival Tony Stark's hi-tech rig-out.

Is something blocking the way? Kirby's mech can deal super strong punches that can smash that obstacle into pieces. Need to move a heavy object? Kirby's awesome armor can carry that load with no probs. The Robobot can even unleash devastating fire-, ice-, and lightning-type attacks. It can also transform into a fighter plane or a motorbike so Kirby can travel in kick-butt style. Bonus: It can even scan a baddie's ability and copy them to give 'em a taste of their own medicine. With his super mecha suit on, Kirby's unstoppable!

FACE OFF!

Check out these quirky Kirby expressions which you can totes #relate to!



When you're sooo ready for chow time!



When you run into a glass door.
#DidntSeeThatComing



When you're way too excited to see your crush.



When you've noshed on one too many burgers.



DID YOU KNOW?

When you combine all the first letters of the levels featured in the game, it spells out "P-R-O-G-R-A-M."
Mind blown!

LEET
EQUATION





DID YOU KNOW?
The female guard who's escorting Faith out of prison is voiced by Jules de Jongh, Faith's first voice actress from the original game.

MIRROR'S EDGE: CATALYST

PLAY IT ON GENRE **PLATFORMER** RATING **PG**

Take a leap with Faith in this reboot-slash-prequel-slash-all-around-AWESOME game as she runs, jumps, spins, and kicks her way through the City of Glass. With an expanded story mode, time trials, and a whole lotta side missions, there's a ton of places for you to explore in this open world. If you're itchin' to get your feet off the ground, then parkour outta your living room and grab a copy of *Mirror's Edge: Catalyst*!



TWISTS AND TURNS

Search for all sorts of secret paths in the open-ended City of Glass.

Sure, you can follow the guided path (indicated by the red line) or you can take a detour. Explore the environment and look for an alternative route that you can take. You might just discover some nifty new secrets along the way.

LEET
EQUATION



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STOP! BATON TIME!

Here's how to deal with these rooftop baddies!

Guardians

Class: Melee **Weapon:** Baton

They're the first enemy you'll encounter and brawl with in the game. You can defeat this type with a simple light attack.

Shock Protectors

Class: Melee **Weapon:** Kinetic Pacifier

You must circle around your foes and attack them from behind in order to land a successful hit.

Sentinel

Class: Melee **Weapon:** Fists

Avoid getting too close because these dudes pack a mean punch! Use aerial attacks to take them out.





STREET FIGHTER V

PLAY IT ON PS4 PC GENRE FIGHTING RATING PG

DRESSED TO KILL

Nab these awesome costume colors as you level up your character in Story Mode.

You can unlock eight costume colors by finishing all levels in Survival Mode. On Easy difficulty, you can unlock Color 3. Finishing Survival Mode on Normal difficulty will reward you with Colors 4, 5, and 6, while conquering Hard difficulty gives you Colors 7, 8, 9, and 10.



WARDROBE CHANGE

Win and gain insta-steez!

Color 11: This color is available at the shop for 10,000 Fight Money.

Color 12: Available at the shop for 2,000 Fight Money when you reach Level 5.

Color 13: Available at the shop for 5,000 Fight Money when you reach Level 10.

Color 14: Available at the shop for 10,000 Fight Money when you reach Level 25.

Color 15: Available at the shop for 20,000 Fight Money when you reach Level 50.



MARIO & SONIC AT THE RIO 2016 OLYMPIC GAMES

PLAY IT ON 3DS WiiU GENRE SPORTS RATING G

GO FOR GOLD!

Kick the butts of these 3D athletes so you can unlock them as playable characters.

Diddy Kong: Defeat him in the Dream 110m Hurdles during Day 1 of the Mario Adventure Mode.

Nabbit: Defeat him in the Dream 100m Dash on Day 1 of the Sonic Adventure Mode.

Rosalina: Defeat her in Dream Rhythmic Gymnastics: Hoop on Day 3 of the Mario Adventure Mode.

Sticks the Badger: Defeat her in Dream Archery on Day 3 of the Sonic Adventure Mode.

Dry Bowser: Win the match against him in Dream Javelin Throw on Day 5 of the Sonic Adventure Mode.

Wave the Swallow: Defeat her in Dream BMX on Day 5 of the Mario Adventure Mode.



PICTURE PERFECT

Each of the 48 achievements has three levels that you need to finish in order to reveal the image panels. Conquer all these levels to reveal the image panels and collect rad new gear.

Blue Spring Arrow: Unlock 10 image panels.

Fire Flower Paddles: Unlock 20 image panels.

Chaos Emerald Gloves: Unlock 30 image panels.

Golden Mushroom Bike: Unlock 40 image panels.

Chain Chomp Club: Unlock all image panels.



AVATAR AWARDS

COOL, CUSTOMIZED CHARACTERS FROM FELLOW KZ GAMERS!

Name: Selena Reyes
Codename: Nagisa_Shiota
Game: *Minecraft*



Your avatar's 'do is the coolest 'coz it literally looks like ice. Does your avatar have freezing powers? 'Cause we are deffo getting that vibe!

Name: Josh Cardinez
Codename: TheButtCookie
Game: *Minecraft*



NGL, we think your avatar is srs Minecraft goals! Wicked wep, nice hair, cool accessories—you got it all, bro!

Name: Joseph Cordora
Codename: LavaHoodieKid10
Saitama-kun The GREAT
Game: *Minecraft*



Holy smokes, you're on fiyaaah! Your avatar looks like an angry X-Men member. We hope you use your avatar's awesomeness for good and not for evil!

YOUR TOP FIVE

Name: Mica Ortiz
Homebase: Tabaco, Albay
Gaming Skills: Strategy, Action

1. *Clash of Clans*
2. *Minecraft*
3. *Pokémon* series
4. *Kizi*
5. *Clash Royale*



DYK? If you attack the King's Tower in *Clash Royale* with fireballs and arrows, it'll whittle its HP down quicker than any other weps. #YoureWelcs

ACHIEVEMENT UNLOCKED

NARUTO SHIPPUDEN: ULTIMATE NINJA STORM 4

PLAY IT ON **PS4** **PC** **Android**

GENRE **FIGHTING** RATING **PG**



A PUPPET WITH TEN TAILS

Complete the "Roar of the Ten Tails" level with an S Rank.

ATTACKING IS THE GREATEST DEFENSE

Perform a 50-hit combo.

DIFFERING PATHS

Finish Chapter Two of "Two Unparalleled Warriors" level.

FORBIDDEN POWER RELEASED

Defeat an opponent while in Awakening Mode.

MASTERFUL TIMING

Perform a tag team counterattack with a teammate.

PERFECT STORM MASTER

Collect all the trophies.

PERFECT WIN

Win a three-round battle without losing.

THE POSSIBILITIES OF THE NEXT STRIKE

Switch leaders during a combo.

UNSCATHED

Win a battle without damaging your costume.

YEAH! BEGINNER CHALLENGE LEAGUE BEATEN!

Complete all the tasks for Challenge League in Beginner Difficulty.

GAMER'S HELP DESK

Adrian Lacson

Where can I find the Arkhalis Sword in *Terraria*?

The Arkhalis can only be found inside an Enchanted Sword Shrine (ESS). The ESS has a 33% chance of housing a real sword, which is buried inside stone. You must break this in order to find out if the Arkhalis is there. You have a 10% chance of getting an Arkhalis from the breakable swords. It's a very rare wep, so you're lucky if you find it. Good luck!



TIP TRIP

Take a break, gaming geek! K-Zoner **Andie de Leon** has a tip for you *League of Legends* players.

If you're using Sona as a Support Champion, we suggest that you cast her three spells back to back, including Hymn of Valor as the third spell. These combined spells, A.K.A. a Staccato Power Chord, will create an aura that will buff up all your allies that stand within your AoE. The Hymn of Valor will help your team deal 40% more damage against enemy champions. Aww, yiss!



READER REVIEW



KC Dolera tells us why *Transformers: Devastation* is mech-tastic!

GAMEPLAY

"You get to play as an Autobot with special abilities that can help defeat the Decepticons. You also get cool swag while you're at it."

GRAPHICS

"The slick cel-shaded graphics make the 'bots look like they're dishing out anime-style attacks."

REPLAY

"Aside from the main campaign, you can play the Challenge Mode. That's 50 awesome additional levels to fuel your gaming addiction!"

SOUND

"Let's put it in a math equation: Anime music + Transformers metal-shredding SFX = Super win!"

OVERALL

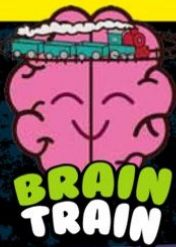
"If you're a die-hard *Transformers* fan—heck, even if you're just an *otaku*—this game is deffo gonna be your new fave. It's so fun to play and it will bust boredom in the face!"

DYK? Tristana's Buster Shot move is a shout-out to Mega Man. *League of Legends* devs must be fans of the blue-suited vgame hero.

SEND US YOUR TIPS, CHEATS, REVIEWS,
AVATARS, AND TOP FIVE GAMES!

SUBJECT:
GAMERS UNITED





OLD-SCHOOL SPACE STANDOFF

HAVE A CRAZEBALLS TIME WITH THE 'RENTS WHEN YOU PLAY THIS #THROWBACK PEN-AND-PAPER GAME WITH 'EM!

PLAYER 1

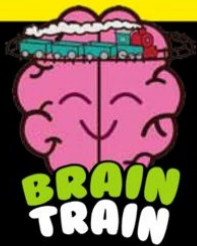


Instructions:

1. Choose your side: Select which space fleet you will be commanding. Point the tip of your pen on your space base and balance the other end of the pen using your index finger. Use the "player" marker as your starting point.
2. Push the pen forward using your balancing finger so you can flick it away (A.K.A. slide across the paper). The resulting line will be your attack.
3. Two players take turns in flicking their pens. Additional turns will be granted to a player as long as they continue to hit a target.
4. The goal of the game is to attack and eliminate all the opposing team's ships. The first player to successfully hit all targets wins.

PLAYER 2





LINE 'EM UP!

HEY, BROS! K-LEB AND ZHIEN NEED YOUR HELP IN SOLVING THEIR PIXELATED PROB!



INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Draw the Minecraft characters on the empty squares provided.
2. Each MC character must only appear once in every column and row. Good luck, dudes!



BE THE NEXT STAR
IN KZ'S BRAIN
TRAIN PUZZLE!

SUBJECT:
BRAIN TRAIN



NAME: ZHIEN NICOLE MILLAMA
HOBBIES: READING K-ZONE AND
PLAYING MINECRAFT



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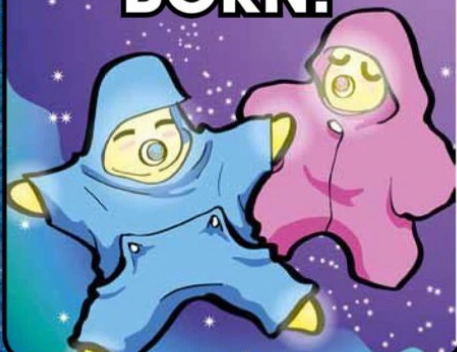


@kzoneph

GAG TAGS

ENJOY SOME GRAVITY-DEFYING
SPACE PUNS!

**A STAR IS
BORN!**



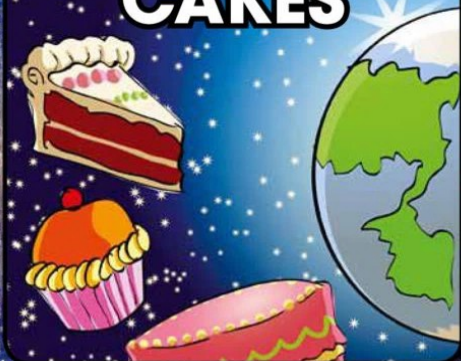
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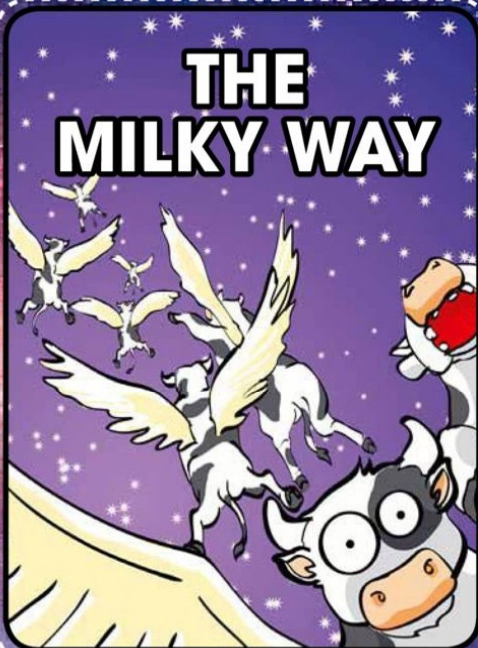


**SPACE
CAKES**

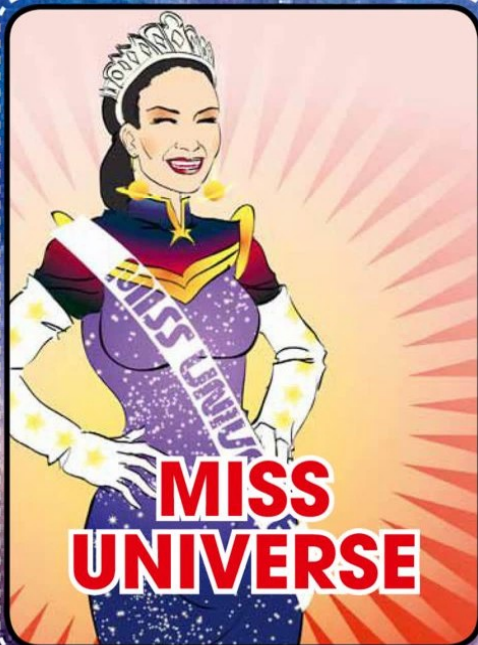




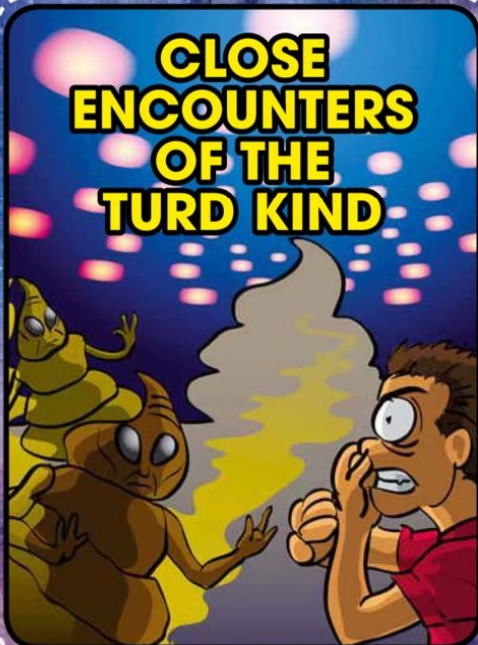
METEOR SHOWER



THE MILKY WAY



MISS UNIVERSE



CLOSE ENCOUNTERS OF THE TURD KIND

ROLL CALL OF NATURE

Unroll the toilet paper a bit so you can stick a photo of a cockroach or a lizard on it. Then, carefully roll the TP back to make it look like it hasn't been messed with. The (unfortunate) next toilet dweller will shriek out of disgust for sure when he unrolls that TP!



DOES THIS MAKE ME LOOK FAT?

Open your dad's underwear drawer and swap his undies with yours. Stash his briefs where he'll never find them so that he'll have no choice but to try on your tiny undies. He'll deffo struggle getting into those tighty-whites! For added lolz, tell him that he proolly should lay off the bacon!



FIZZY BIZ!

Pour a cup of soda into a half-full carton of milk and place it back in the ref. When the fam opens the carton for their cereal, they'll be way confused once the carbonated fizz starts pouring out!

GOT ANY PRANK IDEAS? SEND YOUR MISCHIEF WISDOM!

SUBJECT: PRANKS



PRANKS

STAY SALTY

The next time your sib asks you to fetch a sandwich, don't complain. But before you grab the nosh, sprinkle lotsa salt on the spread. (Be prepared to run for your life afterwards. LOL!)



SURPRISE MAKEOVER

Does anyone in your family have the sniffles? When they're not looking, sneak in a sprinkle of baby powder inside the tissue box. Watch them blow into the tissue and get an instant clown makeover.



FACEBOOK FAIL!

Did your annoying sib leave his Facebook account open? Set the privacy option to "Only Me" and post some embarrassing pictures of him or have him profess his love for his crushes. Watch him panic and freak out before he realizes that only he can see the posts. LOL!

DISCLAIMER

Pranks have a nasty habit of going wrong, so be careful when you try to pull 'em off, and don't blame us if you end up getting grounded for a month.

Q. What do you get when you cross an elephant with a fish?

A. Swimming trunks!
BELLE

Q. How does a skunk summon its pals?

A. By calling them up on their smellular (cellular) phones!
TOMMY

Q. What did the lentil say to the other lentil?

A. "How have you bean (been)?"

AARON



Q. Why did the snowman dress up?

A. 'Cause he's gonna attend the snowball!
RJ

Q. What kind of cup can't hold much water?

A. A cupcake!

MARIE

Q. What's color purple, 5,000 years old, and 400 kilometers long?

A. The Grape (Great) Wall of China
JOEY

Q. Why did the boy bring his pencil to bed?

A. Because he wants to draw the curtains.

MADDIE



Q. What did the soil say to the rain?

A. "If this keeps up, I'll end up mud (mad)."

QUINN

Q. What did the lioness tell her cubs before dinner?

A. "Shall we all prey (pray) first?"

MARC



Q. What do you call an army of babies?

A. An infantry!

SAMMY

Q. Why did the girl tiptoe past the medicine cabinet?

A. Because she didn't want to wake the sleeping pills!

ART

Q. What do snakes write at the end of their letters?

A. "Hugs and Hisses (Kisses)!"

CLAIRE

Q. What has five fingers but is not a hand?

A. A glove!

ALEX

Q. What happens when The Flash falls into a swimming pool?

A. He becomes "The Splash!"

JAMES

Q. Why did the bald man draw rabbits on his head?

A. So that they'd look like hares (hares) from a distance!

TINE



SEND US
YOUR
JOKES!

SUBJECT:
LAST LAUGH



FAIL WHALE

JUST KEEP SWIMMING!

**DON'T WORRY BROS!
LIFE IS AN OCEAN OF
EMBARRASSMENT!**



One Sunday, my parents brought me to mass with them. While there, I just ran around and played. I returned to the pew where I thought my parents were and hugged my mom. When I looked up, I realized that I hugged the wrong person! Turns out, my mom was standing at the pew behind her. Oops!

FRANZ ABAD

It was UN Day at school. My classmates and I walked around the campus to check out the different decorations each class had set up. I got tired from walking so I marched toward the empty chair beside my friend. When I was about to sit down, my friend pulled the chair away, causing me to land on my butt! Huhuhu!

MARY LOUISE LEABAN



At my cousin's birthday, Mom called me over from the other side of the room so I could join the family photo. I didn't notice that there was another kid and accidentally tripped on him. Double ouchies!

**CARINA
SOMALA**

My friends and I took a lot of groupies (group selfies). Afterwards, my sneaky friends printed the photo where I was the only one putting on a wacky face and showed it to everyone in class! They now call me "Queen of Gray" because of that and it's way embarrassing!

SHAUNNIE BANTUGAN

I didn't expect my crush to attend my birthday party, so I panicked. I started looking for my BFF but I couldn't find him. Suddenly, my crush greeted me. I was so speechless that I just held her hand the whole time. I said sorry, but I felt very *killig*.

TERYL GADOR

HEY, BROS!
CARE TO SHARE
YOUR EPIC FAILS
AND FLOPS?

**SUBJECT:
FAIL WHALE**



I was at school when two little boys threw crumpled paper at me, so I threw it back at them. Just my luck, the principal caught me and gave me a lecture in the office. Bummer!

**GABRIELLE
ANNE P. OBISPO**